BIG ROBBERY IN HEART OF BOSTON

4TH EDITION 4 P.M.

BOSTON AMERICAN

Weather Forecast — Fair and Warmer.

VOL. 6—No. 58. Registered in U. S. Patent Office. BOSTON, MONDAY, MAY 17, 1909. Copyright, 1909, by the New England Newspaper Publishing Company. ONE CENT

BASEBALL EXTRA

DOVES AND CARDINALS PLAY; WEATHER SMILES FOR RED SOX

The weather man wasn't kind to the Doves and Cardinals in their game at the Columbus avenue grounds this afternoon but they got together just the same. It was raw and chilly for a baseball game. The grounds, however, were in fairly good condition in spite of the wetness of preceding hours.

In Detroit the Red Sox and Tigers had clear weather for the second engagement, and a good crowd turned out to see if the Bostonians could repeat on the Champions.

BLOW SAFE GET $5000 IN GOLD.

A bold safe robbery of $5,500 was discovered to-day in the dental materials establishment of Crimmings, Magrath & Co., incorporated, at No. 136 Boylston street, opposite the Common, and not 100 yards from the corner of Tremont street. One safe was blown open with nitroglycerine and a second one was bored open.

The robbery was committed almost in plain view of the throngs that continually pass through Boylston street, night and day, at this point. The police declare it was the boldest and most thorough "job" that has been done in years in Boston.

It was discovered by John J. Crimmings, manager of the firm, who was astounded to see the safe in the front office, first door above the street, a wreck when he entered the place to-day. A moment after, word he found the second safe, drummers' sample bags and show cases plundered. He immediately notified police headquarters.

Hide Clues in Break.

A hasty examination revealed a loss of about $5,000 in pure gold and platinum and $500 in cash. The safeblowers had taken their time and had done a complete job, taking nothing by which their could be identified and only stealing goods that can be readily disposed of.

Inspector Pelton, the safe expert at headquarters; Inspector Michael Shields and Patrolman Thompson, who took immediate charge of the case, found that the burglars had carefully gummed the edges of the downstairs doors of the Boylston street building, so that they could not have made a close connection when closed Saturday night. This made it possible to pry them open easily with a jimmy, without leaving any marks visible from the outside.

On the first door above the street a hole, one-eighth of an inch in diameter, had been drilled beneath the knob of the door en-

Continued on Page 2, Column 4.

IF YOU SEE THIS MAN, CALL POLICE

First photograph of Clarence G. Chase, Auburn barber, wanted in Register murder case.

HUNT BARBER CHASE, SUITOR OF SLAIN GIRL

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 17.—The police sent out notices broadcast to-day for the detention of Clarence G. Chase, the Auburn barber, in connection with the murder of Laura E. Regester.

The notices, accompanied by detailed description of Chase, have been sent to Boston, throughout New England and to New York. They read as follows:

DETAIN THIS MAN.

Clarence G. Chase; occupation, barbers; age, 35 years; height, 5 feet, 5 inches; weight, 160 pounds; complexion, light; eyes gray, unusually bright and active; hair, bushy and sandy; sometimes wears glasses; usually smooth-shaven. When last seen was dressed in black clothes and wore black derby hat.

Wanted in connection with the investigation of the murder of Laura E. Regester at Providence, R. I.

Slain Girl's Admirer.

These notices do not make any charge against Chase.

The Providence police make no charges. But they wish to talk with Chase. Under the law a person may be detained and held for twenty-four hours in such circumstances.

Chase was one of the recognized admirers of the murdered girl. He had called on her before her engagement to Charles Douglass. Then his visits to her home ceased. But it is said by several people that Chase had met Miss Regester outside of her home on several occasions since her betrothal to Douglass.

Some have gone so far as to declare that Chase and Miss Regester were quite friendly. There is no argument over the statement that Chase had deep admiration for her.

This puts Chase in the position of being the only one of Miss Regester's admirers who has not been interviewed by the police. Chase knew the girl well. Many who knew her have been questioned by the police, even coming forward with information on their own account.

Not Seen for Two Days.

Chase has not been questioned because the police cannot find him. He has not volunteered to come forward. It is incredible that he is unaware of the murder. It seems to the police only natural to suppose that a man who knew the girl so well and who esteemed her so highly would try to aid the police in avenging her murder the moment he heard about it.

In addition to Chase's failure to come forward there is the coincidence of his disappearance from his accustomed places about the time of the murder. He has not been seen at his barber shop in Auburn since Saturday, May 7, two days before the murder. The police have searched Auburn, Cranston and Providence for him in vain.

No Motive Found.

Both Ernest Allen, the divorced husband, and Charles Douglass, the man who was to wed Miss Regester, have talked with the

Continued on Page 3, Column 6.

JURY FIXING ENDS; GRAFTERS IN PANIC

McCULLOUGH AND CASSIDY CONVICTED

Guilty of larceny and of conspiracy to defraud the city was the verdict rendered to-day in Judge Schofield's court against Lee F. McCullough, a member of the Boston Common Council, and James T. Cassidy, a Boston lawyer.

The maximum penalty for the larceny of more than $100 is five years in State prison and for conspiracy three years in the House of Correction. The two men were charged with the larceny of $200 in connection with a book deal.

Bail in each case was raised from $100 to $1,500, which Cassidy furnished at once. McCullough waited in the detention room while his lawyer, John F. Feeney, sought bail for him. Notice of a new trial in both cases was given.

Seldom has a trial of such an ostensibly petty character commanded such extraordinary interest in Boston. The case was tried once before and it resulted in a disagreement. It was one of the so-called graft cases that came as a legacy to the new district attorney, Mr. Hill, when he was appointed to succeed the late John B. Moran.

Rumor had been so persistent for many months that any jury that was selected in Suffolk County could be "fixed" that this was developed to the minds of the public, at least, into a trial of that rumor rather than a testing of the merits of the indictments charged.

As a result, when the court convened today, the courtroom was thronged and the corridors were packed with politicians, municipal officials and business men who were anxious to hear the result.

Lawyers talked openly of "jury fixing," and declared it was impossible to get a verdict of guilty in any "graft case" in this city. Business men became alarmed and in various organizations the matter was talked over quietly with a view to taking some sort of action if it were deemed expedient. Remarks that have recently fallen from the lips of several judges on the bench indicated the feeling that seemed to permeate Boston, that it was impossible to get a grafter convicted, had reached them.

District Attorney Hill went so far in his speech to the jury last Saturday as to say that the grand jury system was actually on trial. He told the jurors plainly that if improper influences were brought to bear upon them it would be a calamity to every man and woman of the Commonwealth.

The District Attorney went as far as he could to prevent any tampering with the jury. He had the twelve men shadowed by detectives in civilian's clothes. Every juror was watched from the time he was chosen, until the verdict was reached.

The District Attorney also had the principals in the case followed. It is safe to say that he was prepared to prosecute to the limit anyone discovered trying to speak to a juror.

And it may be mentioned here that the same system of espionage is to guard against jury fixing will be

Continued on Page 2, Column 1.

MAUD HOWE ELLIOTT ARRIVES ON ROMANIC

Mrs. Maud Howe Elliott arrived in Boston to-day on the White Star liner Romanic to attend the celebration of the ninetieth birthday of her mother, Mrs. Julia Ward Howe, which occurs on May 27, and had as ward for the voyage little Palma Cogliandro, whose parents, brothers and sisters perished in the Messina earthquake. The only living relative of the child is an uncle in California, who sends the little girl back to this country in that State. The little girl was ill with measles when the ship made this port, and under orders of Dr. Paul Cannon, port physician, was taken to Gallup's Island, where she will stay until well. Then the Red Cross Society of Boston will send her to her uncle.

Other passengers were a Baptist missionary party from Telugu, South India, consisting of Professor L. S. Morris, who is going home to Kalamazoo; Mrs. J. M. Baker of Syracuse, two children and a native nurse, and Mrs. John Dunning of Philadelphia. Other passengers were Dr. Thomas Dwight of the Harvard Medical School and his daughter, Miss Mary Dwight. Former Mayor B. B. Johnson of Waltham and his wife were also aboard the Romanic.

YOURE FACING DANGER in the fog unless you're in the sun with Camels Cross. No grime, no joint cement. —Adv.

NEXT!

1—GEORGE H. BATTIS, ex-alderman. 2—MICHAEL J. MITCHELL, ex-purchasing agent. 3—MAURICE H. KLUS, coal dealer. 4—WILLIAM BERWIN, ex-alderman. 5—EDWARD O. KAINE, lawyer.

JIM CORBETT SAYS O'BRIEN WILL GO SOME

Mr. James J. Corbett said to-day that Mr. "Jack" O'Brien of Philadelphia would have no trouble in "holding his own" against Mr. "Jack" Johnson of Galveston, Texas, the colored heavyweight champion, in their match in Philadelphia Wednesday night.

Furthermore—

Mr. Corbett averred that when Mr. "Jim" Jeffries of Ohio and Mr. Johnson came together for the championship later, there was no question that Mr. Jeffries would lick Mr. Johnson.

Mr. Corbett delivered himself of these opinions in his room in the Hotel Brewster to-day, preliminary to going to the Orpheum theatre for his engagement there.

He made these remarks while he was dressing. While he was going out of his pajamas and into his underclothes and shoes and trousers he explained how Mr. O'Brien of Philadelphia would have **no trouble with B'rer Johnson.**

While pulling on shirt, scarf and pin, shoes and the finishing touches Mr. Corbett boomed the stock of Mr. Jeffries regarding the eventual Jeffries-Johnson fight.

Interview in the Tub.

Mr. Corbett came to Boston to-day via the midnight train from New York. He ensconced himself in the Hotel Brewster and said:

"I don't wish to be called until 11:30 o'clock."

He wasn't called till that time despite numerous inquiries. It must be great to "stall" callers with such ease. The clerk said Mr. Corbett was not to be disturbed till 11:30 o'clock. When 11:30 o'clock came the bell-boy said:

"Yes, sah, Mr. Corbett said he wasn't to be disturbed."

The elevator boy said: "Are you sure that Mr. Corbett will see anyone yet?"

"Jim had 'em hypnotized to obey orders. Maybe they feared the Corbett slum.

But "Gentleman Jim," as he has been called, was as mild as milk when a reporter butted in at the appointed time. He, the ex-champion, was chastely attired in pajamas, which he shed preparatory to bath and dressing. His interview ran somewhat as follows:

Splash from the tub—"I think if O'Brien will have any trouble in staying six rounds with Johnson."

Rub, rub, rub—"I think that, if O'Brien doesn't get too gay—rub, rub—he will more than hold his own. I wouldn't—rub, rub—be a bit surprised if he should."

Doesn't Expect Knockout.

Business of pulling on underclothes—"Most everyone but I men think that this party, Johnson, is going to tear right in and knock O'Brien's head off right away."

Business of one trouser—"I don't think—"

Business of starboard stocking—"That Johnson is capable of doing that."

Business of trousers—"Knock-out? I don't look for any knockout in any way. It's just here. I think O'Brien is a clever man always will be an accident. I have a very poor opinion of Johnson's fighting abilities."

"Why, if Joe Rick Johnson? No question about it," he said.

Jeffries in New York last week. He was in good condition. I asked him to dine, but he chose the house. He said he didn't eat at that time of day. He wasn't drinking. He was some twenty-eight pounds over weight, I should say.

"No, he may not be down to his lightest weight for the fight, but he'll be well able to all right, and he will lick that fellow Johnson."

Mr. Corbett started out. He hadn't mentioned the word "shootre," even though he is on the stage and was talking with a reporter.

It might be stated that Mr. James J. Corbett's act with the Orpheum Theatre this week is his sketch, "A Tale in the Night," in which he appears with his own company.

BRANDENBERG IS SENT TO TOMBS

NEW YORK, May 17.—Facing his accusers, Broughton Brandenberg, the magazine writer accused of forging an article purporting to have been written by Grover Cleveland, was to-day sent to the Tombs to await trial, after a conference with his wife. No attempt will be made to get bail at the present time.

THE GOVERNOR'S VETO

Governor Draper's message vetoing the eight-hour law will be found in full on Page 5.

HAINS GETS 8 TO 16 YEARS IN PRISON

FLUSHING, L. I., May 17.—"The killing of William E. Annis was not justified, and I hereby sentence you to serve an indeterminate sentence of not more than sixteen years and not less than eight at hard labor, in Sing Sing prison."

Justice Garretson, in the Supreme Court today, brought to a climax with these words the series of misfortunes that have come upon the Hains family since Captain Peter C. Hains returned from his post in the Philippines to hear of his wife's wrongdoing and then to seek out William E. Annis at the Bay Side Yacht Club on August 15 last and slay him.

After the imposition of the sentence Lawyer John F. McIntyre obtained a stay of execution of sentence for twenty-four hours to swear a certificate of reasonable doubt before a county justice.

"Are You Married?"

"What is your name?" asked the clerk of the court of the captain after sentence had been passed. "Haina," replied the captain in a voice so low that the clerk could not hear it.

"Are you married?" asked the clerk.

The Captain did not answer.

"He is married," answered John F. McIntyre for him.

"What residence have you?" asked the clerk.

"None," whispered the Captain.

As the prisoner was turned over to the guards his father and his brother were the only members of the family present. He embraced them in turn. He gave no sign of emotion or interest. Before the passing of sentence by the court, counsel for the **defense and** for the people and **Justice Garretson had** a conference in the judge's chambers.

District Attorney Dewitt arose and in a very low voice asked the Court to show clemency to the prisoner.

Then Eugene N. L. Young of counsel for the prisoner, with tears in his eyes and with a voice husky with emotion, pleaded with the court to be lenient. Mr. McIntyre followed him, and then Captain Hains was told to stand up.

"Peter C. Hains, Jr., after a fair and impartial trial upon an indictment for murder in the first degree, in which you were defended by able and experienced counsel, you have been found guilty by the jury of manslaughter in the first degree," said the Court. "The Court is unaware of any substantial error having occurred upon trial to your prejudice. The jury have discredited your plea of legal irresponsibility, and by their verdict have shown to you the utmost consideration which the facts and the law warranted. With this verdict the Court is not disposed to disagree. The logic is that the killing of William E. Annis by you on the fifteenth day of August last was not justified and was the act of a man who was responsible therefor, and you must receive the penalty which the law prescribes, that no person may assume to be judge and executioner for a real or fancied wrong done to him by another.

"Such a doctrine is abhorrent to all right thinking men, and the practice of it is subversive of modern civilization. In this case the law of the State has been vindicated and the claim of right to mete out personal vengeance has been again condemned. Further comment is needless. The result of this trial is its own best comment."

RED SOX AND DETROIT MIX

BATTING ORDER.

BOSTON.		DETROIT.
McConnell, 2b.		McIntyre, l.f.
Lord, 3b.		Rush, ss.
Speaker, c.f.		Crawford, c.f.
Hooper, r.f.		Cobb, r.f.
Stahl, 1b.		Rossman, 1b.
Niles, l.f.		O'Leary, 3b.
Wagner, s.s.		Schaefer, 2b.
Spencer, c.		Stanage, c.
Burchell, p.		Mullin, p.

BENNETT PARK, Detroit, May 17.—Somewhat dazed by the brilliancy displayed by the Red Sox in the opening game, the Tigers came on the field this afternoon filled with a wholesome respect for the visitors from Boston.

Jennings's men realized that they were in a tough fight for the leadership of the American League race, and that if they dropped the next two games to the "Speed Boys" they would at the same time drop into second place.

Jennings himself did what he could to spur his men on, but Lake, the Red Sox pitcher, was in the mood to allow Jennings to monopolize the coaching lines, and he confined himself to the box duties to encourage his men.

Carrigan and Moriarty, who figured in the mixup at the plate which started a fight among the fans at the close of yesterday's game, had apparently forgotten their differences, for they were on cordial terms again. Both anxiously awaited word from President Johnson of the American League which will determine whether or not they will have to suffer further for their altercation.

The Red Sox were chock full of confidence when they took the field for practice, and they displayed plenty of ginger.

$1,000,000 CROP OF STRAWBERRIES

DOVER, Del., May 17.—Delaware's strawberry season, expected to enrich many poor farmers, was opened to-day. The fruit was the finest ever raised here and the crop is estimated at 22,000,000 quarts. At 3½ cents a quart this would bring $750,000 and if good prices prevail the crop may be worth $1,000,000.

DOVES TACKLE THE CARDINALS

BATTING ORDER.

BOSTON.		ST. LOUIS.
Starr, 2b.		Byrne, 3b.
Becker, r.f.		Shaw, c.f.
Bates, l.f.		Bresnahan, c.
Beaumont, c.f.		Konetchy, 1b.
Beck, 1b.		Evans, r.f.
Dahlen, s.s.		Ellis, l.f.
Sweeney, 3b.		Charles, 2b.
Smith, c.		Ridowitz, s.s.
Dorner, p.		Rhodes, p.

SOUTH END GROUNDS, May 17.—Under leaden skies and overhanging clouds, the Doves and Cardinals met for the second time this season to battle for supremacy.

It was far from a good day on which to play, far from good from the player's viewpoint as well as that of the spectators and management. But the "regulars" were on hand to see the conflict. These fans were armed with umbrellas and top coats, for the weather was a mixture of spring and winter.

It appeared for some time, early in the day, that the game would have to be called off, but as the day advanced J. Pluvius let up and the sky partly cleared, and the game was started at the regular time. Owing to the screeching the cold received in the early morning, play was a little slow. But the Doves were not to wreak vengeance on the invaders from St. Louis in this game, for they received the worst of the encounter on Saturday, the lowly Cardinals proving stronger opponents than expected.

NEW DESTROYER ON TRIAL CRUISE

PHILADELPHIA, May 17.—The United States torpedo destroyer Lieutenant Smith, the fastest vessel ever built in the Delaware River, and capable of 28½ knots an hour, left the Cramp shipyards to-day for a three-days' trial cruise.

HELLO GIRL BRIDE IN SECRET WEDDING

The supervisor of the Dedham telephone exchange has resigned, and for good reason.

She's married now.

Her name was Miss Nellie McMillan. Her name is Mrs. George A. Nay.

The marriage took place last Wednesday and it was quite a secret, it seems. It did not become known till to-day.

Miss McMillan, or Mrs. Nay, to give her new title, is the daughter of Mrs. W. A. Newman of Dedham. She has been supervisor of the Dedham exchange for five years. Also she has been engaged for some time to George A. Nay.

Mr. Nay is the son of J. Henry Nay, the Boston horseman, who has a stock farm at No. 2540 Centre street, West Roxbury. It was expected that the couple would be married some time this month, and their surprised families and friends by slipping away last Wednesday evening to the home of the Rev. Perley D. Davis of Park street, West Roxbury, and being married.

About this time Mrs. Nay sent in her resignation as supervisor of the telephone exchange. The resignation is to take place next Saturday. She will supervise a home thereafter instead of a telephone exchange.

CHANCE OUT OF GAME FOR THREE WEEKS

PHILADELPHIA, May 17.—It was said to-day that Frank Chance, manager and first baseman of the Chicago Nationals, who is at St. Joseph's Hospital here with a badly wrenched shoulder, will be out of the game for the next three weeks. While practicing for a ball in the preliminary practice yesterday afternoon Chance sprained the ligaments in his left shoulder.

Nearly everybody in Boston reads the AMERICAN.

M'CULLOUGH AND CASSIDY CONVICTED

Continued from First Page.

followed in all of the other graft cases that are to be tried.

McCullough and Cassidy were in the rear of the court room sitting together when court opened today. They were very solemn of demeanor and looked as though they anticipated an unfavorable result. Somehow this rumor had circulated through the court room. The silence was tense as Judge Schofield ascended the bench.

The foreman of the jury handed the judge a slip of paper. The judge glanced at it and handed it back to the clerk.

"Are the defendants in court?" asked the judge.

McCullough and Cassidy arose and walked to the bar. There was a crowding forward of bodies, the craning of necks. The silence became oppressive.

"The clerk will read the verdict," ordered the court.

"Guilty of larceny and conspiracy," recited the clerk.

Both of the prisoners looked straight ahead. There was little if any movement of their features. They had appeared steeled themselves for the worst. A buzz of excitement followed the verdict.

It became a confusion of noises as it reached the corridors and broke into spirited discussion on the steps of the court house and in the nearby streets. Telephones rang and to City Hall, various law offices and business houses the news was flashed.

Judge Schofield fixed bail in each case at $1,500, and Lawyer William C. McGuire, for Cassidy, asked for an extension of time to give exceptions following the trial. The time usually allowed is three days. This time was extended until June 1.

A reporter of the AMERICAN McGuire said:

"I will go to the Supreme Court and ask for a new trial for Cassidy on exceptions saved. There are about twenty of them. The prominent exception is that witnesses had no right to hear one another's testimony before the Grand Jury. This question has never been settled in this State. Another exception is to the Judge's charge to the jury."

Cassidy left the courtroom at 4.10:03, bail having clinched one for him. Bonds were furnished by Edward O'Brien and Mrs. Margaret Boggs.

Going to Supreme Court.

McCullough had not come to court prepared to furnish additional bail, and at 11 o'clock he was asked to step into the detention room. His lawyer, John T. Feeney, said that it would only be a matter of a little time and bail would be secured. He left the court house to get it.

The jury went out at 4.12 Saturday afternoon and reached a verdict at 10:30 that night. The jury was then discharged and the verdict brought into court to-day.

The case against McCullough and Cassidy grew out of charges made by the Finance Commission. While McCullough was president of the Common Council an order was passed providing $200 for this connection.

It appears that a bill was made by Cassidy at McCullough's request which was false, and known by both to be false, but was approved by McCullough as president of the Common Council, on which the city paid $200 and received nothing in return.

Remarkable Address by Hill.

The address of District Attorney Hill to the jury was remarkable for its references to the necessity of keeping outside influences from the jury. This portion of his address is here repeated:

"So far I have argued on the evidence, but there is another side to this case of which I want to speak. If it is decided on the evidence, indeed, there can be no other result. If we were trying an ordinary case of theft, and had evidence like this, there would be a conviction in half an hour.

"The only reason for any question here is because the theft is from the city of Boston and, because the defendants rely, not on the evidence, but on political prejudice and indirect influence. There is much on trial here than the defendants. You are on trial, and the jury system in this country is on trial.

Advice to Jury.

"If you do not convict in this case it means that a Suffolk County jury cannot be trusted to deal with a case of theft from the city of Boston. This is what it means and nothing else. The whole community knows it. There is not a man or woman in this room, there is not a person familiar with the facts, who has any doubt that the defendants are guilty. They know it themselves, but what they and their friends hope is that you are not men enough to decide the case upon the law and the evidence as you decide other cases.

"They hope that you will allow yourselves to be swayed by the flaring crowd who, when this trial began, filled the courtroom and haunted the corridors of the courthouse. They hope that the cries of the prejudices and influences with which this case has been surrounded will serve you from the path of honesty and justice, and the community knows that this is so and the weaker members doubt whether you can be trusted. This doubt I do not share. I believe and am proud to believe that citizens of Suffolk County serving on the jury can be trusted to do their duty as the judge on the bench does his, and the representatives of the Commonwealth have tried to do theirs.

"It is of very little consequence in the long run whether these defendants are convicted or not. It is of enormous consequence that the administration of justice in this country should be kept free from stain. Our whole civilization rests on the integrity of the jury. It protects equally the rich and the poor, the small and the great.

SEEK EVIDENCE AGAINST KLOUS IN COAL GRAFT

Assistant District Attorney James Curtis left to-day for New York, where he will make investigations and obtain evidence to be used in the government's trial of Morris H. Klous, agent of the W. S. Niver Coal Company, indicted for the larceny of $32,000 in October, 1907, in connection with the alleged coal graft investigated by the Finance Commission.

Klous has been out under bail of $10,000 since. Indictments were returned against him.

Assistant District Attorney Curtis has been in Philadelphia and in other cities recently working on the Klous case, and he will have charge of the prosecution.

MANY MORE AWAIT TRIAL ON GRAFT CHARGES

The following men, charged with "grafting" on the city, are awaiting trial. Their cases will be pushed as fast as possible and the jurors will be watched, as in the trial of the McCullough case, to prevent jury fixing:

GEORGE H. BATTIS, Alderman, indicted for larceny from city.

MAURICE H. KLOUS, coal dealer, indicted for defrauding city of $32,000.

MICHAEL J. MITCHELL, purchasing agent of city, indicted for coal frauds.

JOSEPH T. HILLES, coal dealer, charged with defrauding the city of $5,705.43.

WILLIAM BERWIN, former Alderman, fraud in Codman street land deal.

MARK BERWIN, brother of William, complicity in same offence.

EDWARD O. KAINE, lawyer, indicted in connection with the Codman street land fraud.

The following men were indicted in connection with steel frauds:

FREDERICK N. ROCK, president of Croft Iron Works.

ALBERT S. MILLER, JR., Eastern Bridge & Structural Company, of Worcester.

ELMER F. SMITH, president and treasurer of the G. W. & F. Smith Iron Company, of Boston.

CHARLES M. PENNYCUICK, salesman for the G. W. & F. Smith Iron Company, Boston.

FRANK E. WHITE, secretary of the G. W. & F. Smith Iron Company, of Boston.

JOHN G. WITHAM, New England Structural Company, Boston.

HENRY C. COLLINS, structural engineer for the Berlin Construction Company of Berlin, Ct.

HENRY T. RIPLEY of the Chelmsford Iron Foundry Company, Boston.

JOHN WILSON, of Somerville, with the L. M. Ham & Co., 152 Portland street.

HOWARD P. CONVERSE, of H. P. Converse & Co., 120 Milk street.

EDWIN P. BLISS, of H. P. Converse & Co., of 17 Linden avenue, Malden.

BENJAMIN K. GORHAM, formerly New England agent for the Canton Bridge Company.

HARRY O. RUSS, New England agent for the Phoenix Iron Co., at 110 State street.

EDWARD B. STEARNS, with the American Bridge Company of New York.

IRVING C. HURD, formerly connected with the L. M. Ham Company of 120 Portland street, Boston.

GEORGE C. BARTRAM of Young's Hotel, formerly connected with the Phoenix Iron Company.

HENRY M. JONES, of firm of Maguire & Jones, Portland, Me.

JOHN K. BRITTON, contracting engineer, office in New York, home in Groton, N. Y.

Dynamiters Get Big Haul of Gold in Boston

One of the safes wrecked by robbers in daring break at store of Crimmings, Magrath & Co., Boylston street.

SAFE BLOWN IN HEART OF CITY; $5,500 STOLEN

Continued from First Page.

tering the Crimmings, Magrath & Co. suite, so that it, too, was scarcely visible. Through this hole the burglars had picked the lock.

View of Street.

The first safe was not more than ten feet from the window, at a point easily seen from across Boylston street. A hole inch in diameter was bored near the combination. The men had then soaked all the office clothing in the safe and bound it around the safe, so as to absorb the gases and muffle the explosion. The hole was filled, evidently with nitro-glycerine, and the door blown open in expert fashion.

From this safe between $3,000 and $4,000 worth of pure gold and about $1,000 worth of platinum was taken. The burglars ignored the dental fillings, which are less valuable and not so readily converted into cash.

The second safe was in the rear of the suite, near the bookkeepers' desk. This was bored open and $500 cash, together with about $50 worth of railroad mileage, was stolen. The burglars took the precaution to remove or destroy the bookkeepers' records of the mileage, so that it cannot now be identified.

From the showcases the best gold samples were taken and the cheaper ones ignored.

Ransack Drummers' Cases.

It happens that seven drummers of the firm were in Boston Saturday, taking in their samples for their June trip, on which they were to start to-day. Their cases were well stocked. These cases were ransacked and the choicest gold materials stolen. The burglars took a sixteen-inch case, marked R. R. C., and a seven-inch sample case, marked C. M. Co., in which to carry away the plunder.

The crime was committed between Saturday night and this morning. It is impossible to say just when. Cornelius Cheney, a musician, who is the only person who slept in the building, declared to-day that he heard no suspicious noise either Saturday night or last night. He is not a sound sleeper.

The police found numerous evidences that the job had been thoroughly planned. They learned of several suspicious characters who had frequented the building last week. Miss Rose Litt, who has an emblem establishment on one of the upper floors, said that she had had several applications for jobs from men who looked as if they might be criminals. She particularly suspected one young man of seedy appearance and a stout, red-faced man.

Saw Several Suspects.

The office boys in the Crimmings, Magrath Company establishment said they had noticed several men who had no business in the place.

Inspector Pelton thought it possible that the burglars were identical with those who committed a similar crime at the Parzinglon Plate Company office in Albany two months ago.

About that time, too, burglars got through a hole in the ceiling of Rhodes Brothers' establishment in Tremont street, near Castle square, but were frightened away.

"HOLY JUMPERS" TO CONVERT TENDERLOIN

CHICAGO, May 17.—A campaign to convert the entire Tenderloin district of Chicago has been started by the "Holy Jumpers." One hundred converts are claimed as a result of the first day's work.

"We shall convert the entire Tenderloin," shouted Duke M. Farson, brother of John Farson, banker. Then he started the song "Jump to Jesus." The men and women members of the organization began to jump and sing and dance. The "Jumpers" say a person can get to Heaven only by jumping.

BOATMAN SAVES BOYS FROM DEATH

Marching their skill and strength against a fast rising storm, two Cambridge youths were tipped over on the Charles, near Waltham, less than a hundred feet from the point they launched their canoe, and but for the presence of mind of James Burdis, a boathouse proprietor, who went to their rescue in a motor boat, both would have drowned. The young men are William Jacques, aged 21, and Edward Sutherland.

Business Notice.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

LEFT-HANDED MAN SOUGHT AS SLAYER

Continued from First Page.

police and have established alibis which seem without flaw. Also even volunteered, immediately after establishing his own alibi, to assist the police in their investigation.

In connecting the question of motive the police have eliminated the robbery theory and have turned more to that of some of the watchmen, who lives within the country walk of the place, and got in by and opened the barn.

Chief Horton thinks it strange that Jackson did not on last Monday night get the key from the watchman, as he had on previous occasions, instead of turning back home, although he knew he could send little more than an hour there before he must catch a car back to the city in order to be on time for work.

It is known that the police have located a man who walked through the lane where Miss Register made a fight for her life between 1 a. m. and 2 a. m. Tuesday.

At that time the girl's body was lying near the cemetery fence, but it would have been difficult to see it unless the attention of a passerby was attracted to it specially. It talked reassuringly with the old gentleman, telling him that the authorities were taking every step warranted and were doing as much as they could.

The disappearance from the body of the murdered girl of all jewelry or other possessions which were given her by Ernest Ames, her fiance, seems significant. These were the engraved bracelet, the pink cameo ring and the small leather purse. To the mind intrinsic value of these makes the robbery motive seem insignificant.

It looks as though the motive were more purely personal, as though the murderer or murderers had, after his victim had been slain, her body should be rid of every material token of another man's affections.

The ring was snatched from her finger with violence sufficient to lacerate the flesh.

Seek Left-Handed Man.

Miss Register was slain by a left-handed man of an extraordinary strength, that soiled him to drag her bodily in the grip of his fingers on her throat for a long distance, according to the latest theory of the police.

If it was not a left-handed man who dragged her, they say, then the murderer must have twisted his right hand in such a peculiar manner that the imprint of his hand was on the left side of her throat. This does not seem feasible, and we are certain that the strangler when found will prove to be left-handed.

An examination of the twenty-one bruises on the young woman's throat showed the marks of a thumb on the left side. Five of the marks were plainer than the rest, which accounts for the further theory that the Register girl was dragged from Rosemary road to the Jewish Cemetery in spite of the strangler.

Slayer of Giant Strength.

The fact that only one scream was heard is that the young woman, although not of slight build, was practically carried on the hands of the slayer, a person that is a man of enormous strength.

Following up of two witnesses who tell of seeing Chase does not lessen the eagerness of the authorities to communicate with him and ask him his connection with the mystery.

The witnesses are Owen Carpenter and his wife Elsie, residents of Rehoboth.

Mr. Carpenter told Chief Horton that he boarded a trolley at Taunton, Mass., at 9 p. m. last Monday and rode a couple of miles to the home of her mother-in-law, with whom she chatted until it was time to catch the 8:45 p. m. car, on which she continued for two miles to Rehoboth.

WORLD TOUR COUPON

VOTING COUPON
FOR EITHER BOY OR GIRL

Good for One Vote
Candidate by One Reader Only

BOSTON AMERICAN 36

RACE AROUND THE WORLD
TOURS TO EUROPE
AND AMERICAN TRAVELS CONTEST

Name of candidate _____

Address _____

City or town _____

Voter's name _____

Voter's address _____

Cut out this coupon, write in the spaces provided for the name and address of the candidate for whom you wish to vote, also your own name and address, then bring, send or mail to the Around-the-World Editor, Boston American, Boston, Mass., on or before May 22, 1909. Otherwise it will not be counted.

This contest will close on the same day that the public schools close for the Summer holidays. In case of a tie for any prize offered, a prize identical in character and value with that tied for will be given to each of the persons so tieing.

May 17,

SEND IN FLAT PACKAGE DO NOT ROLL

FEAR CAPTURE OF ROOSEVELT

LONDON, May 17.—Reports from British East Africa about a new campaign against the Mad Mullah have just been received in London. These reports are combined in some English papers with the suggestion that ex-President Roosevelt is incurring danger of being captured by the wild Somalis, who are the Mullah's most dangerous followers.

In Mombasa, they declare, the impression exists that Mr. Roosevelt had better keep an eye open for these treacherous fellows, of whom several batches, of from twenty to fifty each, are lurking about the northern boundary of Somaliland and the Protectorate.

"Their very presence," says one report, "in the neighborhood is suspicious, for at most they are only ten days' journey from Nairobi."

Dr. Seaman of New York, however, according to the same dispatch, considers that Mr. Roosevelt runs much greater danger from the tsetse fly and the spirillum fever of Uganda than from either wild beasts or Somalis.

TRIUMVIRATE WARS ON SENATOR SCOTT

ELKINS, W. Va., May 17.—A political triumvirate—Dawson, Dillon and Dixon—recently formed, threatens to dictate United States Senator Nathan B. Scott as Representative of West Virginia in the upper House of Congress, to which Dawson's friends are urging him to aspire.

WARM WAVE ON THE WAY

A warm wave is coming.

After the cold drizzle of yesterday and the chill, raw air of the morning, the temperature is slowly rising to-day.

The local forecast is:

"Fair with rising temperature to-day and Tuesday. Light variable winds."

This means that Boston will warm up about to-morrow, giving a return to the straw hat and shirt waist weather of the past week. It will be welcome.

Miss Boston, who was disappointed in her desire to display her Summer finery at church yesterday, can come out to-morrow, if present signs do not fail. She can put on her new peach basket hat and her openwork shirtwaist and her new Spring or Summer suit, desiring the public in general and mere men in particular, as she is wont to do.

If it is any comfort to you it may be explained that to-day's chill comes from a northeast wind, which blew in here Saturday night from the ocean and is gradually dying out.

DR. WIGHTMAN IS DEAD IN ECUADOR

GUAYAQUIL, Ecuador, May 17.—Dr. William Wightman of the American Marine Hospital service died of yellow fever here to-day.

Filene's
Washington and Winter Sts.

Filene's
Washington and Winter Sts.

Tunnel Bargain Basement
Enter Direct from Tunnel Trains.

Crowded every day. Opened only last January and now the busiest store in Boston. No other store like it in the world.

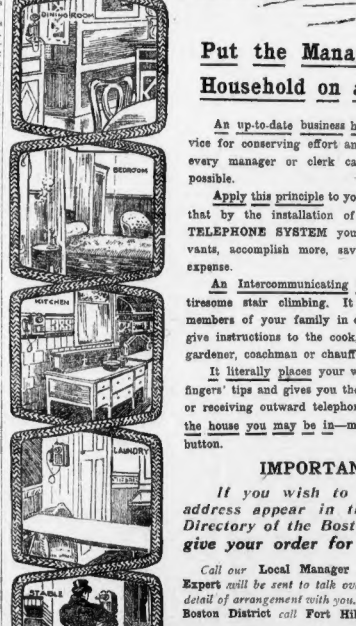
One of the Union Suits in this sale

SALE OF
Women's
Union Suits
ON TUESDAY
At 19c Each
Value 29c

These Union Suits are jersey fitting, low neck and sleeveless, umbrella legs; all sizes.

Walk through the Tunnel Bargain Basement and see the hundreds of other lots including:

High grade Silk Costumes, 14.87; values 35.00, 40.00 and 45.00.
Tailored Cloth Suits, 9.85; value 15.00.
Foulard and Messaline Dresses, 6.48; value 10.50.
Lisle Thread Union Suits, 52c.; value 75c.
Women's Seamless Stockings, 11c.; value 19c.; black and tans.
Dutch Collar Lawn and Dotted Swiss Waists, 88c.; value 1.25.
American Taffeta Umbrellas, 79c.; value 1.00.
Sample Swiss Ribbed Vests, crocheted yokes, 29c.; values 39c. and 50c.



Put the Management of Your Household on a Business Basis

An up-to-date business house is provided with every device for conserving effort and saving time and energy so that every manager or clerk can handle as much business as possible.

Apply this principle to your household and you will find that by the installation of an INTERCOMMUNICATING TELEPHONE SYSTEM you can get along with fewer servants, accomplish more, save time and energy, worry and expense.

An Intercommunicating Telephone Set does away with tiresome stair climbing. It enables you to talk to other members of your family in other parts of the house, or to give instructions to the cook, housekeeper, nurse, laundress, gardener, coachman or chauffeur without leaving your room.

It literally places your whole household or estate at your fingers' tips and gives you the further advantage of sending or receiving outward telephone calls from whatever part of the house you may be in—merely a matter of pressing the button.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

If you wish to have your telephone address appear in the Summer Telephone Directory of the Boston Division you must give your order for service at once.

Call our Local Manager *and an* Expert *will be sent to talk over every detail of arrangement with you. In the* Boston District *call* Fort Hill 7600.

New England
Telephone & Telegraph
Company

CANON HENSON ANSWERS VAN ALEN ATTACK

"The Christian ministry has a limited function. We are not sacerdotalists," (men who exalt the priesthood) exclaimed Canon Henson before the Congregational ministers at Pilgrim Hall to-day.

This was an indirect answer to the attack made upon him by Rev. Dr. Van Alen.

"The minister is a watchman, a spokesman that is laboring for the unseen things. He is a minister to set forth the principles of life. He is a prominent citizen, using his style influence everywhere when necessary.

Canon Henson made this additional reply to the claims that Dr. Van Alen has been making for the priesthood of the church, which the Canon poked fun at in this gathering of Congregational ministers.

"What is to be the liberty of speech and thought in the future," he continued. "Just as in preparation as the great trade unions have adopted socialist views they have become intolerant. Independent thinking, Christian Socialism is no longer connected with the Labor Leaders of Manitoe and Hardie.

"To-day the self-denying element is absent from it. We want to know where socialism stands with the family, with the individual and with the church, and I commend my views towards it as a member of a Christian Socialist.

He explained conditions in England and Wales and the growing interest in the subject, referring to a recent event in Cardiff, when sixty ministers recorded their names at a public sitting as members of the Christian Social Union.

He warned ministers to be careful about parasitism, and seated those clergymen who are going to be court chaplains.

"King Demos has ascended the throne and is endeavoring for court chaplains," he exclaimed.

Canon Henson declared that he had been talking on every inclinable subject since he had been in this country and any mistakes that he made must be attributed to the "unbounded hospitality and entertainment he had been receiving."

Bishop Lawrence was present and introduced the Canon.

RICH MAN ELOPES WITH STENOGRAPHER

NEW YORK, May 17.—James Armstrong, a well to do wholesale baker of Brooklyn, has eloped with his seventeen-year-old stenographer, Miss Edith Silberhorn, according to statements the Silberhorn family made to the police. And, according to the same police, Armstrong left with the girl in one of his three handsome automobiles.

Armstrong lives at No. 291 Seventh avenue, and although he has a wife and two boys, the youngest only a year old—he is said to have been motoring all over Long Island recently with Miss Silberhorn.

MORSE IS STILL DENIED LIBERTY

NEW YORK, May 17.—In spite of the fact that leading bankers and brokers offered bail for Charles W. Morse in the sum of $135,000, the judges of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals to-day refused to grant his liberty and took the matter under advisement. Morse was not taken from his cell in the Tombs, although Mrs. Morse and their son, Harry, were in court. Attorney Martin W. Littleton appealed to the judges to set June 20 as the date for hearing arguments in Morse's appeal from the decision of the lower court sentencing him to fifteen years' imprisonment.

ROOSEVELT LIONS TO BE MOUNTED

NAIROBI, British East Africa, May 17.—Edmund Heller, one of the zoologists of Mr. Roosevelt's expedition, came into Nairobi to-day with some fifty specimens of animal and bird life that are to be cured and preserved by the process of chloroform and etc. Hons, two giraffes, twenty kinds of smaller game and a variety of birds.

GOLD TELEGRAPH KEY FOR TAFT

WASHINGTON, May 17.—President Taft has received a telegraph key mounted on Alaska marble and studded with gold nuggets, with which he will send the signal from Washington opening the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition at Seattle, June 1.

MRS. HARTJE DEFIANT AS HUSBAND PLEADS FOR RECONCILIATION

Mrs. Mary Hartje and her two children.

PITTSBURG, Penn., May 17.—Another upon which a reconciliation might be effected. sensation has broken in the Hartje divorce case, which was the talk of the country two years ago, when Augustus Hartje, the millionaire paper manufacturer of this city, accused his handsome wife of being too friendly with her coachman, Thos. Mallon, and with a negro, Clifford Moe, and endeavored to obtain a divorce from her.

Backed by a Pittsburg man's millions, she fought the case, winning in every court, and in turn brought suit against her husband for a divorce.

The suit comes up to-day, and Hartje in an effort to effect a reconciliation is making a determined effort to have the case postponed.

Hartje, it developed, is known to have said to friends recently that he believed that she would forgive him because of their children for the charges he preferred against her in his divorce action.

Must Retract Charges.

Mrs. Hartje said that the only thing that would lead her to consider the possibility of a reconciliation would be the future of her children, but that if she consented to a withdrawal of her suit it would be necessary for her husband to publicly acknowledge that he had trumped up charges and testimony against her.

She would, she said, always feel that unless such an acknowledgement was made by her husband that her children might consider her guilty of the charges once preferred against her by Hartje.

It is known that the public renunciation by Hartje of the allegations he made against his wife is the only possible basis

Friends of Mrs. Mary Scott Hartje declared that there is small hope for this reconciliation between husband and wife.

Mrs. Hartje ill making known her decision to-day, declared that before she will consider the withdrawal of her action Hartje must admit that he manufactured the Confession Incident out of whole cloth, a confession, in fact that he caused the forgery of the Medine letters and bribed persons to testify falsely against his wife.

Well Supplied With Funds.

In consenting to do these things demanded by his wife Hartje could make himself liable to a charge of perjury, subornation of perjury and perjury, and it is not believed he can be induced to effect a reconciliation under such rigorous terms.

Mrs. Hartje is now assured of ample funds to carry on her suit against her husband and any other prosecution that she may desire to undertake should she win her suit for divorce.

She was recently visited by an agent of one of Pittsburg's richest men, H. Rauwn, who offered her aid to any extent. It is asserted positively, moreover, that all the expenses of Mrs. Hartje thus far have been borne by agents acting under this man, who was determined that her good name must not be defamed.

POSNER TO OCCUPY AN ENTIRE BLOCK

David H. Posner, dealer in men's furnishings, will soon occupy the entire block at the corner of School street and City Hall avenue, and has now attained the distinction of conducting the largest store in his line in New England. He began business about twelve years ago at No. 25 School street, where he occupied a floor space of but 10x15 feet. Now he occupies several stores. He extended his premises to No. 3 City Hall avenue, and then took in quarters at No. 29 School street. He left obtained the stores at Nos. 2 and 4 City Hall avenue, and recently arrangements were made whereby he occupied No. 20 School street. Now he has taken the lease of the quarters occupied by the City Hall Drug Store. He will open a new department for the sale of men's hats, and the same liberal policy which has characterized his policy in the past will be followed in this addition to his business.

TWO MILK DRIVERS ACCUSED OF GRAFT

Frank Wolf of No. 13 Broadway place, Somerville, and Frank Hall of Temple street, Somerville, both drivers for the D. Whiting Milk Company of Charlestown, appeared before Judge Bragg in the Charlestown Police Court to-day charged with stealing $329 and $240 respectively from the concern. Associate Judge Corbett of the same court appeared for the defendants, and they both pleaded not guilty. Finding probable cause, Judge Bragg held both men for the Superior Court in $1,000 bail. It is alleged that both men, who delivered milk, made collections and did not make proper returns.

FUNERAL FOR FIVE; 50 GIRL BEARERS

NEW YORK, May 17.—Fifty white-clad girls acted to-day as pallbearers at the funeral of the four girls and the young man who were drowned in the Hackensack River Friday. There was one funeral for the five victims. All Hackensack was in mourning. Father Lambert of St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church, of whose congregation the victims were all members, was so affected that he could not preach the sermon.

HALE HOLDING UP TAFT APPOINTMENT

WASHINGTON, May 17.—Despite the fact that he had been appointed to the position of Judge Advocate General of the Navy, Lieutenant Commander H. I. Cone may not, after all, head the bureau of navigation, controlling the Navy Department. Confirmation of the appointment is held up by Senator Hale of Maine, Maine because of the Senator's friendship for Rear Admiral Capps, until recently head of the bureau.

BED CLOTHES KILL BABY.

George Lee, the three-months-old boy of Mr. and Mrs. George Lee of No. 28 Tyler street, was found dead in bed early to-day by his mother. The child, it is believed, was found suffocated by getting its head under the bed covering. Associate Medical Examiner Leary gave orders to allow the body to remain at the home. He will make an investigation.

TO-DAY'S CABLE NEWS

Up to Midnight, London Time

Turks Sing Hymns as They Go to Scaffold.

CONSTANTINOPLE—Five more men were hanged at 2:30 o'clock this morning in front of the building of Parliament, opposite the mosque of St. Sophia, in Stamboul. They had been found guilty by court-martial of complicity in the murder of their officers in the revolutionary outbreak of April 13. Among them was one non-commissioned officer. The others were junior officers. They sang hymns on their way to execution. Burhan-ed-Din, Abdul Hamidi's favorite son, has been examined by court-martial and will probably be imprisoned for an indefinite term. Guards from the American cruiser North Carolina, now at Mersina, are patrolling American property for protection. Many Armenians quartered at the American quarters are afraid to leave. Refugees are huddled in camps, and many are starving. The cruiser Montana has arrived at Alexandretta.

Joan of Arc Fete Broken Up.

PARIS—The three days' fete in celebration of the beatification of Joan of Arc ended with impressive services in Notre Dame. The Royalist Committee of Paris seized the occasion to give a dinner, at which Royalist songs were sung and violent speeches made. Afterward they attempted to parade, but the police broke up the procession and seized the banners.

Italian 'Phone Girls May Strike.

ROME—The example of the French postal telegraph and telephone employes seems about to be followed in a certain measure by their Italian colleagues. The movement started among the telephone girls, who complain of the conditions of work and the regulation forbidding them to marry.

Frohman-Hammerstein Alliance.

LONDON—A report current in theatrical circles has it that Charles Frohman and Oscar Hammerstein intend to join hands and establish a repertory theatre in New York. This is to be in opposition to the New Theatre, of which Lee Shubert is one of the directors.

Kaiser's Daughter to Wed?

VIENNA—There are prospects of a marriage being arranged between Princess Victoria Louise, daughter of the Emperor of Germany, and Archduke Karl, nephew of late Archduke Otto and his wife, who before her marriage was Princess Maria of Saxony.

Prince, 13, Weds Princess of 7.

ADDIS ABEBA, Abyssinia—Prince Lidj Jeasu, thirteen years old, grandson of King Menelik and heir apparent to the throne, has been married to Princess Romanie, aged seven, the granddaughter of the late Emperor John and niece of Empress Taiton.

King Awards Mother Medals.

LISBON—In recognition of her heroism at the time of the assassination of her husband and son in February, 1908, King Manuel has bestowed upon Queen Amelie, widow of the late King Carlos, three medals for bravery.

Russian Police Chief Killed.

LUBLIN, Russian Poland — Captain Ulich, chief of police, has been mortally wounded, and two policemen who were accompanying him were severely wounded in front of the principal park of the city by a band of men with revolvers.

France Sounds Tariff Warning.

PARIS—Under the caption, "A Million in Peril," the Paris Journal sounds a note of warning to the United States in case the new tariff should result in excluding French products.

Swinburne Left $121,412.

LONDON—The will of the late Algernon Charles Swinburne was filed to-day and shows his estate to be worth $121,412. The estate goes to Theodore Watts-Dunton, the poet's friend.

King Victor Receives Carnegie.

ROME — Andrew Carnegie was received in audience by King Victor Emmanuel to-day, being presented by Senator Cappellini of the University of Bologna.

Famous Buddhist Temple Burned.

TOKIO—The celebrated Buddhist temple in Shiba Park, called Zojoji, visited by more tourists than any other, has been destroyed by fire.

Locusts Devastate Vast Area.

ODESSA—A million acres of land in the steppes of the Yaskinoi and Bendery districts are reported to be devastated by vast swarms of locusts.

George Meredith Seriously Ill.

LONDON—George Meredith, the veteran novelist, is seriously ill at Dorking, Surrey County.

OFFER $60,000 FOR CAPTURE OF TRAIN ROBBERS

SPOKANE Wash., May 17.—Sixty thousand dollars have been offered as a reward for the capture of the six outlaws who held up a Great Northern mail train between Cubert and Mead, and after taking the engine and mail car two miles ahead and looting the mail car of $20,000, sent them back at full speed into the train, causing a crash in which twelve persons were injured. The Great Northern has offered a reward of $10,000 for each outlaw. Two special trains of deputies were rushed from Spokane to the scene of the hold-up, and have started in pursuit of the robber band. It is believed the bandits are the men who have been involved in several other train robberies in the last few months.

While the engine crew was busy switching at Cubert two men sprang into the cab, and thrusting revolvers against the bodies of Engineer William Miller and Fireman John Fall, ordered them to do as commanded.

The engineer and fireman complied and the mail car was cut off from the rest of the train by four other robbers. The locomotive and the mail car were then run up the track a few miles. Next the engineer and his fireman were forced to leave the cab.

Two of the robbers went to the door of the mail car and ordered it opened. Their command was heeded by Benjamin F. Stumpf, mail clerk, who was hurried away from the car with the engineer by a menacing revolver shots. Manning the locomotive themselves, the outlaws took the mail car down the track and stole the registered mail. Then they started the locomotive back toward the rest of the train and escaped.

Conductor C. L. Robertson had a breakdown rig in the telegraph wire to send word to Spokane. While he was busy telegraphing, about a half hour after the locomotive and the mail car had disappeared, he saw the powerful locomotive careening toward the coaches, in which many persons were asleep, for the robbers had acted quietly in seizing the mail car.

The conductor and another trainman raced to tie on the track to stop their flight, but the cars, although partly stopped by the means, plunged into the coaches, throwing passengers from their seats and filling them with gags from broken windows.

The trainman, nerved to the task, sprang aboard the locomotive as the collision came and shut off the steam, stopping the havoc.

CHELSEA COLLAPSE CASE ON TO-MORROW

Morris Gordon and Morris Segal, Chelsea contractors, under indictment charged with manslaughter in connection with the killing of nine men on August 25, 1908, by the collapse of a wall in the old Academy of Music in Chelsea square, will be placed on trial together in the Second Session of the Superior Court before Judge Schofield. The indictment declares that criminal negligence was displayed in using the old wall in building a bridge in the Fall River line, and caused the granddaughter of the late Emperor John and niece of Empress Taiton.

GIRL PLEADS GUILTY TO LOTHING THEFT

PLYMOUTH, May 17.—Ethel Hasley pleaded guilty in the Superior Court to-day on a charge of stealing wearing apparel from the house of her employer, A. D. Batchelder, at No. 4 Cherry street, Plymouth. She was arrested in the South station, Boston, by Officer Hennigan on the train from Montreal to attend, she said, the bedside of her dying cousin. Officer Hennigan lectured the girl and placed the case on file.

FIGHT PAUPERIZING TO CLOTHING THEFT

Alfred S. Pinkerton of Worcester, Dr. Edward H. Bradford, Leonard W. Rose and Miss Ida C. Darling, trustees of the School for Deformed and Crippled Children were before the Committee on Public Charitable Institutions to-day to urge a change in the law so that the children of poor people who are unable to pay board for them shall not be pauperized, as they are now, but the city or town may charge a nominal fee without enrollment as a pauper.

MAYOR BACK; THROAT STILL TROUBLES HIM

Mayor Hibbard was back at his desk in City Hall to-day, much improved in health as the result of his brief sojourn at Hanson, Me. His throat, however, has not improved as fast as expected, and he has had to decline a large number of invitations to appear publicly.

DEWEY $76,000,000 SUIT SET FOR JUNE 2

Former Judge Henry S. Dewey's suit for $76,000,000 against the officers of the Good Government Association for alleged injury to his character was to-day assigned by Judge Brown of the Superior Court to be heard by the Second Session of the Superior Court on June 2. Judge Brown ruled that Judge Dewey's motion to strike out the damages should be ruled upon by the trial Judge who sits in the case.

ESSEX BRIDGE HEARING.

A hearing was given by Engineer Robert Evans, representing the County of Essex, upon the changes desired in the approaches for the new Haverhill bridge, before the Committee on Roads and Bridges to-day. What is asked for is not an appropriation, but an enabling act to permit the county to relocate highways and close others in order to complete the proper approaches for the new bridge. There was no opposition.

Nearly everybody in Boston reads the AMERICAN.

'LOST' MAY DOWES WAS ENJOYING THE TIME OF HER LIFE

May Dowes.

While her heartbroken mother was appealing to the police for assistance in locating her missing daughter, thirteen years old, Ethel May Dowes was having the time of her life. She disappeared Saturday from her home at No. 91 Hancock street, Everett, with a $6 white her mother gave her to pay a dog license.

Mrs. Dowes thought she had met with foul play, or had wandered away in a fit of melancholy because of a scolding she had received a day or two ago. She was at the Boston police headquarters this morning and notified the police and then she started home.

As she was passing a theatre she glanced in the lobby and there was Ethel May waiting in line to buy a ticket. Her mother descended upon her and Ethel began to cry and declare that she did not want to go home. She said she had secured a job washing dishes at Revere Beach and she wanted to earn her own living.

SMALLPOX IN YANKEE BALL CAMP AGAIN

CLEVELAND, O., May 17.—A smallpox scare struck the camp of the Yankees in this city.

Trainer Jack Burke who complained of a slight illness when the train left Detroit Thursday, is in bed with a high fever and believes he has the disease that held Hal Chase in the pest house at Augusta three weeks this spring.

Dr. Hannum is attending him. The doctor refused to have anything more to do with the case unless requested, because he says Burke refused the kind of treatment he prescribed.

"I though that he had symptoms of typhoid fever, said Dr. Hannum, "because that begins with a high fever and when I took Burke's temperature it was above 102. I did not know at the time that he had been rubbing the player who has so lately been discharged from the pest house, but there is a possibility that he has contracted the disease in that way."

Burke, according to several of the players, is convinced from what he knows of Chase's case that he has smallpox. What Manager Stallings learned that his condition was alarming he called Hal Chase out of a card party in one of the other player's rooms and sent him down to look at the sick man.

Chase refused to say what he thought about Burke's symptoms.

It is understood that unless Burke showed signs of improvement to-day he will be immediately hurried back to New York.

FLEET MAKES BIG MACKEREL CATCH

GLOUCESTER, May 17.—Gloucester is rejoicing to-day over news from New York and Newport of big hauls of mackerel by Gloucester vessels. Mackerel apparently showed up for a stretch of 150 miles Saturday, extending from Five Fathom Bank, where a part of the fleet made good hauls, to Block Island, off Long Island, where those of the fleet in Newport made their catches. The following Gloucester vessels are reported in New York: Constellation, 10,000 medium mackerel; Alpha, 25,000 mediums; Marguerite Haskins, 22,000; Rose Dorothea, 18,000, with the George Parker reported bound in with a fare. The Clayton by reason of Newport are: Effie M. Peter, with 25,000 large fish; Mary C. Santo, with 10,000.

The price for the fish is twenty cents for large and fifteen cents for mediums, and at this rate it is estimated that the value of the catch is $25,000.

GILCHRIST CO

Washington and Winter Streets

Important Price Reductions in

Women's Summer Gloves

New Kid Gloves Our own special Gloves, a new importation, will be placed on sale on the front Bargain Table in the Corner Store Tuesday morning, consisting of Tans, Modes, Grays, Navys, Greens, Blacks and White, in 2-clasp effects, equal to any glove sold in Boston at $1.00 pair, at, choice, while they last..... **69c**

Silk Finished Lisle Thread Gloves 13 button length, in black and white, Mousquetaire wrist, special at..... **29c**

Milanese Lisle ThreadGloves, 2-clasp, in black, tan, gray and white, worth 37½c pair, for.. **29c**

Chamois Gloves In the light natural color, clasps covered with chamois. Gloves guaranteed washable and to fit like Imported Kid Gloves, regular price $1.00 pair, special at..... **69c**

Smartly Styled Tailored Suits In Handsome Serges, Lustrous Mohairs and Fine Man's Wear Materials..... **16.75**

The illustration shows three of the many charming new models that we offer on Tuesday at **$16.75**, regular $25.00 values. These handsome, snappy, new models are just everything that tailored suits should be, up to the moment in freshness of style and fabric—every model a stylish example of Gilchrist Company's efforts to furnish the best suit in Boston at the littlest price.

DOUBLE STAMPS EVERY FORENOON

ROXBURY Storage Salesrooms

OPEN TONIGHT TILL 9

Where You Can Buy Any Make Piano Always at a Sacrifice

No one ever paid half as much for a new piano here, no matter what make, as it would cost them at any retail piano house in New England—We don't pretend to make our profits out of the sale of pianos—If our income came only from this source the Piano Trust would have driven us to the wall and put us out of business long ago—Our other interests cannot be damaged in the slightest by the Trust—They can help us only in the piano department of our business—Our fighting fund may not be as large as that of the Piano Trust, but we have a more effective weapon with which to battle than the "Combine," and that is the Cut, No-Profit price that we put on Trust Pianos.

Bargains Beginning, Monday, May 17

Are exceptionally good—Many beautifully made pianos which have been slightly used will be sold at very low prices, lower than usual—They have been put into such good condition by our piano experts and are fully guaranteed—These, together with a lot of fine new pianos, will be sacrificed—If you don't get the piano bargain of your life here this week blame only yourself.

$5 Down--$1 a Week

The gilded piano stores, with their costly rent, interest, their high-salaried sales agents, their silver-mounted offices, are no place to trouble to find—Come to Roxbury—Take the trouble to find—Come to Roxbury—Take where the costs are not so high and buy your piano right.

BARGAINS IN THE WORLD'S BEST PIANOS.

Mason & Hamlin Upright	$72	Chickering Upright	$57
Knabe Upright	$95	Emerson Upright	$55
McPhail Upright	$86	Everett Upright	$65
Haines Bros. Upright	$59	Merrill Upright	$90
Fischer Upright	$79	Steinway Upright	$75
Huntington Upright	$80	Schmer Upright	$101
Steinhart Upright	$68	Ivers & Pond Upright	$68
Vose Upright	$82	Jacobs Bros. Upright	$76
Wm. Bourne	$60	Kranich & Bach Upright	$82
Webber Upright	$80	Martin Bros' Upright	$57

Roxbury Storage Salesrooms, Inc.

2111 WASHINGTON ST., COR. WILLIAMS ST., BOSTON, MASS.

Open Mon., Thurs. and Sat. Evenings Till 9 O'Clock.

Take car Washington street car going up Washington to Williams street, cor. Williams.

Tailoring Talk You Can Understand

You've yourself to blame when you try to buy a tailored suit for less than our famous $20 standard and get stung. Thirty-six years' experience teaches us that the lowest possible price that can be named for an up-to-the minute tailored suit is $20. We've proved this in a hundred ways. You or your neighbor has, too; no doubt. Of course, you'll not take the risk again. "Stung" once is sufficient for a man who knows what's what. There's something essential to good tailoring missing in a suit that can be sold for less than $20. Are you foolish enough to try and discover this "something?" We set a style pace in our $20 Suits that others find it difficult to follow at $30.

$20

H. NEWMAN & SON, Inc.

POPULAR PRICE TAILORS FOR 36 YEARS

224-226 Washington St. Opposite Thompson's Spa Open Evenings Until 9

ORDER BROKER ARRESTED FOR HUGE SWINDLE

Herbert Moseley, secretary of the Growler Copper Company of Boston, procured from Judge Burns in the Municipal Court to-day a warrant charging Charles Leighton Roxwell, of London, Paris and New York with the larceny of $2,000 from the Growler company. Immediately afterwards he took proceedings for the extradition of Foxwell from Washington, where the latter was held Saturday after a nation-wide hunt.

Moseley accuses Foxwell of obtaining thousands of dollars from his company and from several Boston men, under false pretenses. It is said the amount may aggregate $500,000. He saw Foxwell on the street in Washington, and, after having him jailed, hurried here for the warrant. The specific larceny on which the warrant was issued is alleged to have occurred in January, 1908.

A dispatch from Washington to-day says that Foxwell will not resist extradition and declares that he is the victim of a mistake. His beautiful young wife is firmly confident of her husband's innocence and has consoled him by frequent visits to the jail in which he is confined. No effort has been made to secure his release, even on bail.

Foxwell is now held simply on Moseley's representation.

Wife Cheers Husband.

Mrs. Foxwell, attired in a fortuous gown of coral crepe trimmed with white Irish crochet lace and with sleeves of pale yellow chiffon messaline, caused a flutter of excitement when she first appeared in the First Precinct Station in Washington. She found her husband occupying the cell assigned a week ago to John O. Davis, a burglar, accused of obtaining approximately half a million dollars from Washington women.

As she entered her husband's cell, Foxwell sprang to his feet, threw his arms about her neck and kissed her fondly. They remained in each other's embrace for some minutes, until the policeman who was guarding the prisoner advised the wife that she must occupy a chair at the door and not enter the cell. Mrs. Foxwell acquiesced quietly, and for half an hour she talked in a low, earnest tone with her husband.

Mrs. Foxwell paid a second visit to the station house. She was accompanied by James H. Hayden, an attorney, and the prisoner and the lawyer held a lengthy consultation. At the conclusion Mr. Hayden said no attempt would be made to secure the release of the prisoner. Captain Foxwell, said, was perfectly satisfied to remain where he was until Boston detectives arrived to escort him to the scene of his alleged transactions.

"Mistake," Says Prisoner.

Mrs. Foxwell visited the prisoner several times afterward, bringing him dainties and cigars. On her last visit she handed her husband several telegrams, and when he had read them his face brightened for the first time since his arrest. To a reporter the prisoner said:

"I'm comfortable, but I want to get to Boston as soon as I can. Until I have received an agreement with my attorneys I shall say nothing. A grievous mistake has been made, and only time will correct the error."

In addition to the various mining companies of Boston, New York and Philadelphia which are said to have done business with Captain Foxwell, Edmund Burr Norman of Washington, chief of detectives, said to-day that the police department believe the man sold bonds there. It is said that he lived at the Cecil and Raleigh Hall, No. 1,212 West Lundale street, Baltimore, in 1905. Detectives will probably go to Baltimore to look up the prisoner's record, if one exists.

Thomas Moseley, at his office, No. 14 Kilby street, told the AMERICAN his story of Foxwell's dealings with the Growler Copper Company. He said:

"It was in January of last year that Foxwell came to me and represented himself as an agent of the Societies Generale of Paris, a syndicate that floats bonds. He said that the society would take $2,500,000 worth of bonds of the Growler Copper Company. He wanted $12,000 as commission for himself. Foxwell was paid $5,000, with a promise of $2,000 when I received a cable message from Paris accepting the contract on the part of the company.

"On January 22 such a cablegram was received. On January 24 $2,000 was paid to Isaac Copeland, attorney for Foxwell. Later we got into communication with the Societies Generale and the whole deal was repudiated. I think Foxwell must have cleared up in all about $10,000, through different schemes worked in Boston."

ENTICING BOY AWAY CHARGED TO WOMAN

ATHOL, May 17.—Mrs. Ellen Stiles of Market place was arrested to-day on charges of having enticed ten-year-old Harry Ayr from his home and making him drink beer and whiskey. Mrs. Stiles says she merely took the boy for a drive. Harry Ayr disappeared last Thursday and returned Friday noon while the police were dragging the river for him. Subsequently Frank McLean, who was employed by Mrs. Athol woods, was arrested on charges of intoxication and of enticing the boy. A carriage nearby was wrecked and the horse was badly scratched. McLean's case was put on probation till August 28.

THOUGHT BRIDE RICH, NOW WANTS DIVORCE

SPRINGFIELD, May 17.—Is applying to the Superior Court for annulment of his marriage to Miss Esther Harris of St. John, Dr. Louis Hirsch, formerly of Boston and Providence, declares, as unusual grounds for his suit, that Mrs. Hirsch has "extreme melancholia." The couple were married last January, but lived together only three weeks. Hirsch asserts that he was led to believe that the Louis woman was wealthy, but that after marrying her he discovered that this was not the fact.

NEW HONORE BRIDE HAS UPSET CHICAGO

CHICAGO, May 17.—Society is asking who Mrs. Harriet E. Baker is. The report from New York that she is the bride of Harry H. Honore, Jr., youngest brother of Mrs. Porter Palmer and brother-in-law of General Frederick D. Grant, is the principal topic here. She is said to belong in New York, but that is all that is known about her. The marriage was very quiet, the only attendants being a clerical notary. The bridegroom is in the real estate business here. He is thirty-eight years old. His first wife, who was the daughter of Russell J. Jones, died in Florence in 1902.

THIRD DOCTOR TO DIE OF SPECIALTY

NEW YORK, May 17.—Dr. Gerardus Miles-Wynkoop is dead from appendicitis. He is the third prominent physician of this city to fall a victim to the disease which he had made his specialty in the last six months. Dr. Andrew J. McCosh, who had devoted most of his years while practicing to trepanning, died several months ago in the Presbyterian Hospital from a fractured skull. Cancer, which had been Dr. Bull's life study, caused his death in Savannah after a year's illness about two months ago.

OH THERE, FAIR CINDERELLAS! GET BUSY NOW

The Cinderella Foot contest of the BOSTON AMERICAN to find the smallest and prettiest foot in Greater Boston is nearing the end.

Only four days more remain for entries. The entry list closes next Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. No entries will be received after that hour. Bear this in mind, you girls who are thinking of competing.

As a matter of fact, it would be well for all prospective contestants to enter as soon as possible. The Cinderella Editor is kept quite busy receiving entries, filing applications and drawings of the foot. Kindly do not wait till the eleventh hour, but come in to-day or to-morrow if possible.

To-morrow or Wednesday the Cinderella Editor will announce the Board of Judges for the contest. This announcement will be of general interest and of particular interest to the contestants. The judges will be capable ones, well known for their artistic qualities. Every contestant may rest assured that she, or her foot, rather, will get a square deal.

Has Spanish Instep.

To-day the Cinderella Editor prints a picture of Mrs. R. Pinks of No. 41 Hollander street, Roxbury, and of her foot, which is entered in the contest. No names have been printed in this contest heretofore, but the Cinderella Editor asked and secured Mrs. Pinks's permission to use her name and publish her picture on account of an extra interest which attaches to her entry. She is the woman alluded to last week who entered the famous jewelled slipper contest held ten years ago in Boston by Miss Virginia Harned, the actress. Mrs. Pinks was next to the winner. She put on the jewelled slipper, but the winner was able to slip it on a trifle easier, in the opinion of the judges. Mrs. Pinks's foot has the celebrated "Spanish instep," which is considered by artists and sculptors as a mark of beauty in a foot.

Here are the conditions of the contest:

There are four prizes. Three are offered by the BOSTON AMERICAN for the smallest and prettiest foot, as follows:

First—A golden slipper inlaid with jewels.

Second—A silver scrolled slipper.

Third—$25 in cash.

Then there is a fourth and a separate prize. This is nothing less than a place "A Stubborn Cinderella" company, now playing at the Cubical Theatre. This offer is made by Manager Arthur Houghton of the company, on behalf of Mort. H. Singer, proprietor of the production.

Three Judges to Decide.

The contest is open till next week Thursday, May 20, for entries. Then a board of three competent judges will select from all the entries the thirty best to qualify.

From these thirty the judges will name the three winners of the first three prizes, and the $25 cash prize offered by the BOSTON AMERICAN.

From the same thirty Manager Houghton will name the choice of a number for "A Stubborn Cinderella" company.

Fill out the following entry blank and bring it to the Cinderella Editor of the BOSTON AMERICAN at No. 82 Summer street. Or you can have the editor bring for you at your office. The Cinderella Editor will also explain about having the foot photographed.

Contestants must be sixteen years old or over, and at least five feet tall.

COLLEGE LAWN PARTY.

Arrangements for the annual Boston College garden party, that will be held this year on June 10 at University Heights, Newton, are being completed by Dr. Eugene A. McCarthy, '84, of Cambridge, who is president of the alumni association of the college, together with Father Gasson, are looking after the main details, while other committees composed of men of the alumni are looking after the minor details.

Mrs. R. Pinks of No. 41 Hollander street, Roxbury, who has entered the Cinderella contest. She was second in a former contest.

ENTRY BLANK.

Name.....

Address.....

.....

Size of shoe.....

Greatest width of foot.....

Length, heel to big toe.....

Height..... Weight.....

MOSQUITOES PUT CREW ON SICK LIST

NEW YORK, May 17.—Mosquitoes put on the sick list nearly the entire crew of the British steamer Veranion, which arrived to-day from Kingston, Jamaica, manned by a new quota of men and officers. The ship left fifteen men in the hospital at Jamaica suffering from malaria, and in addition one man had died at sea and another at Kingston. The Veranion was up the Madeira River 3,700 miles from Para. Although the crew slept in screened bunks they could not escape the malaria-laden insects.

HERE'S A FAMOUS CINDERELLA AND HER SPANISH FOOT

CREW OF BATTLESHIP MISSOURI ENTERTAINS TOUR CANDIDATE

Boys and Girls in Great Voting Contest Set Hot Pace in Chase After Leaders.

ALL aboard for the next stretch in the BOSTON AMERICAN'S Great Free Vacation Tours Contest!

All aboard for the greatest race that has ever been run for school boys; for the grandest European tours ever offered to school girls and for the most magnificent American Tours to boys and girls.

Who's going to take them? That's easy to tell, YOU will, if you work hard enough. Now that you know where you stand, there is no reason why you cannot set your own pace and give the contestants a merry run for the lead.

The standing will be published each Sunday from now on and it is easier to figure from week to week how best to beat your opponents. With the vote value of subscriptions, it is possible to pile up enormous totals. You may look badly but look out for the other fellow next week. He may be noiselessly creeping up behind. Be on the vigilant. Always bear in your mind to get a certain number of votes by each advance publication each week, and if you can get more than that number so much the better.

Keep to the front all through and when it comes to the final days of voting you will have no anxiety as to who will win. When your friends see you making such a hard fight they will gallantly come to your aid. They will know you are an earnest worker and who would not help such a boy or girl?

U. S. S. Missouri's Champion.

A determined young candidate loomed up to-day in the person of Ida Bumrill, No. 75 Orchard street, Malden, who is one of the Navy Yard candidates. She was entertained at luncheon in the officers' quarters of the battleship Missouri and was introduced to the crew, who gave her a hearty and royal reception on board. They have unanimously agreed to back her up in every way and extended to her a standing invitation to visit the ship.

Miss Ida Hanlon, No. 100 Hancock street, Dorchester, a caller at the Around-the-World Department to-day, made the following statement:

"When first I entered the contest I was satisfied to try for one of the American Tour Prizes, but now that my friends have seen my nigh standing in the list they are determined that with their assistance and backing, I shall be a winner of the big prize and I hope to be the FIRST among the four boys who will Race Around-the-World."

"I'm Out to Win."

Two boys determined to improve their standing this week are: Leo A. Hughes, No. 777 Columbia road, Dorchester, and Jacob Holmes, No. 4 Mystic avenue, Melrose. Both are enthusiastic workers and Holmes, in a conversation to-day, said: "You just watch me let the other fellows get away from me. Not much. I'm out to win. They have got to get up early to beat me."

Two hustling suburbanites from the town of Cliftondale are Charles Scott, of No. 19 Birch street, and Elbert S. Byers, No. 8 Maple street. Scott is planning a musical and literary entertainment next Thursday evening at which Mr. Peter McNally will deliver two lectures. Miss Byers is a candidate of the Plumbers' Local Union No. 12 of Lynn and is a student of high standing in her class.

Another young contestant who does not intend to take a back seat is Lois Race Around the World is T. Hunt Anderson, No. 982 Westerly ave., Lynn. He has already introduced some very attractive cards up-to-date to his friends to place their subscriptions for the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN and send him Around the World. He is the candidate of the exclusive Oxford Club

Another Police Candidate.

William Blankenship, of Oak Bluff, Mass., is being materially helped by the New Bedford police. He is the only candidate in Martha's Vineyard and expects to poll a large number of vote subscriptions from the summer colony. He is well up in front now and means to win.

A determined visitor to the Around-the-World Department was Gladys Waters, No. 13 Sanborn avenue, Somerville. She says that her friends are encouraged by her high standing in the race and she is already making plans to spend her vacation in the European capitals, London, Paris, Berlin and all the fashionable watering places in the European countries.

Elvina Hanlé, No. 76 Perry street, Brookline, is still steadily piling in her subscriptions, happily confident that she also is going to spend the summer in Europe.

Says Lynn Must Win.

Grace Foss, No. 37 Lakeview avenue, Lynn, is keeping well in the foreground. She is determined that Lynn is going to be represented when it comes to setting sail from Boston ports.

The following is a letter received to-day by the Around-the-World Editor:

"Please find Booster Membership Card. The Vanderlyers of Boston will leave no stone unturned to have our candidate, Miss Marion Coogan, No. 108 Myrtle street, Roxbury, win the prize. We will poll our heaviest votes at the last minute. We have organized a Boosters' Club, a union, and will elect president, secretary and treasurer and by way of novelty we will insure our three officers for $1,000 each from June to June, one year in advance, with a motto, 'A booster always, and a knocker never.' We will win. Keep your eye on us.

HAMILTON and BUCKLEY,
Promoters of the Coogan Boosters' Union No. 89.

Those boys and girls who have not already done so, had better pay do so by calling on the Around-the-World Editor. He will be glad to supply your needs. Also ask for the souvenir postals.

Wake Up, Get Busy.

Many boys and girls have come forward to say that they are going to devote more time than ever to subscription getting. Those who stand high are eager to retain their places, but those who are lower on the list are determined to wrest the position away from them. The real battle is on in full force and promises to be both interesting and intense.

Wake up, boys and girls. If your name does not appear to be at the top it is up to you to get it there. In one day's work you can effect a big haul and, all sorts of tours are possible and you should dinner for four. Then when you have secured it, hold fast. Rouse your friends. Tell them to give you a boost in the way of subscriptions. You need them and every time they may need you. Remember, the boys and girls of to-day are the men and women of the future. If you win one of these trips you will have taken a great stride towards manhood and womanhood. You will be equipped with actual experience.

Strike while the iron hot. Get after the subscriptions. There is no reason why you should not get them at the Around-the-World Department like a gatling gun. You can, if you will only try. WORK, PLOD, HUSTLE. Who can beat the followers of those mottoes?

LEO GRAHAM
227 B. ST.
S. BOSTON
LEO HUGHES
60 TURNER ST.
WALLHAM
JOHN TALON
2 NORDLAND
Here I Am! Candidate for the Boston American Race Around the World
I am the "Jig-Saw Jumbles" that are causing "Cut-Cyclone" Tom Brown, Jr., tired feeling. 12 Shipley St., also "Egyptian Tea" Brown, Swampscott, and "Piano" Brown, 482-1 Washington.
T. HART ANDERSON, Jr.,
Manager, Junior Novelty Co.
EDW. MILLER
516 MASS. AVE.
CAMBRIDGE

Four candidates in World Tours and postal card of campaign.

STANDING ON SUNDAYS.

Hereafter the standing of the contestants in the Race Around the World, Tours to Europe and American Trips Contest will be printed every Sunday. The lists will close each Wednesday at 6 p. m. for publication on the following Sunday.

RESIGNS AS CAPTAIN TO WIN WORLD TOUR

Bernard Sheridan O'Kane has resigned as captain of the Boston College baseball team to make a more strenuous campaign for the BOSTON AMERICAN'S Race Around the World. He is determined to win. His friends are determined that he shall win.

O'Kane is the most popular athlete at the college and a member of the senior class. O'Kane's classmates have arranged a dance at Intercolonial Hall on Friday evening, June 4th, to further his candidacy. A feature of this affair is the arrangement for starlight and moonlight dance.

Several plans of campaign have been mapped out by O'Kane's friends and schoolfellows, who have determined that he shall not alone win, but that he shall top the voting list for the great tour prize.

CZAR OUTWITS MOB, WILL NOT GO TO LONDON

By W. T. STEAD.

LONDON, May 17.—When the Russian Emperor visits England this Summer he will not come to London. A small but noisy section of extreme English Radicals imagine they can promote the cause of freedom in Russia by organizing a mob demonstration against the sovereign who granted representative institutions to Russia and who made the Anglo-Russian entente. Hence they are hoping the Czar may drive through London, but they will be disappointed.

There never has been any intention on the Czar's part to make other than a sea trip. As King Edward and President Fallieres went to Reval and not to St. Petersburg, so the Czar will go to the Solent and Brest, not to London and Paris.

After calling at Brest he will continue his voyage around Spain and Portugal to Italy.

Friends of Armenia report that the Young Turks now control the situation in Silicia, but the situation is really serious. Forty thousand persons are homeless and starving. Smallpox is epidemic. Urgent appeals for help are received.

The news of the American's campaign for the initiative of the United States is warmly welcomed, although it is agreed that the Young Turks now in power would have allowed a chance to show they can reform order.

Lord Halsbury, the ever-greenest of Lord Chancellors, will preside at the inaugural meeting of a new society entitled the True Temperance Association. Its object is to reform rather than abolish saloons by introducing the German system. Fifteen hundred Russia is proceeding in the opposite direction. In Russia no vodka is to be bought for "consumption on the premises," therefore, by developing the hotel business of the saloon. Nevertheless, the sale of drink in Russia is increasing. Last Russia made a profit of $290,000,000 on the sale of $375,000,000 worth of vodka.

ROOSEVELT CAUSE OF CIGARETTE WAR

CHICAGO, May 17.—Lucy Page Gaston, superintendent of the Anti-Cigarette League, expresses regret over the report that Kermit Roosevelt has taken to cigarettes, 825 pipes and a great quantity of tobacco into Africa as a present for the natives.

"I can hardly believe the report," she said. "In view of the prestige of the Roosevelt expedition, the scattering of such gifts undoubtedly will mean the rapid spread of the cigarette habit among the natives. Other presents might have been found.

"What makes it hard for me to understand is that such an example should be taken unless the former President and his fellow-hunters are addicted to the tobacco habit. Several years ago Kermit Roosevelt wrote a picture of President Roosevelt from Africa, in which, among what it seems, by having the photograph of a cigarette manufacturer in the handsome frame. She said she knew Mr. Roosevelt used tobacco."

Cut Trouble in Two

By adding a Teaspoonful to Every pail of Water of the Great labor saver,

Cabot's Sulpho-Napthol

Removes dirt of Every description With one-half Ordinary labor And kills all Germs of disease. Endorsed by good Housewives everywhere.

Sold only in yellow packages by druggists and grocers for 10c. Not sold in bulk. Never sold under any other name. Beware of imitations. Cabot Manufacturing Co., 11 Tremont Building, 14 Medford St., Manufacturers. Sawyer Crystal Blue Company, Selling Agents, Boston, Mass.

LLOYD'S EYEGLASSES & SPECTACLES

Kryptok Bifocal lenses unite "Far" and "Near" glasses in a single lens.

We can always show a specimen lenses and give prices, inspection and inquiries are welcome.

ANDREW J. LLOYD CO.
Washington St., Boston.
Washington St., Boston.
Washington St., Newton.
Washington and Harrison Sts., Dorchester.

CONSTIPATION MUNYON'S PAW-PAW PILLS

Munyon's Paw-Paw Pills quickly and thoroughly banish all constipation. They cure the most stubborn cases of habitual constipation. They do not scour; they do not gripe; they do not weaken.

DOUBLE STAMPS Brine's EVERY MORNING

Madam, See How Much You Are Losing

The raw milk you serve is germ-laden. The raw milk you cook with is only a half-milk. And see what you miss in convenience. Yet you pay more for this milkman's milk than your neighbors pay for Van Camp's.

Nothing But Milk

Van Camp's is simply rich Holstein milk, with two-thirds the water evaporated. Nothing whatever is added. Nothing is subtracted save water.

It's not a peculiar milk.

Our cows are the finest breed. Our dairies are in the best dairying sections. Our milk is evaporated while it is fresh.

That slight almond flavor—apparent only when the milk is drunk cold—is due to sterilization. It means nothing added. It indicates simple purity.

When you heat the milk—as in cooking or coffee—the almond flavor disappears. You have then the natural flavor of milk or cream, save our surprising richness.

Six Cents Per Quart

Van Camp's is as thick as thick cream—so thick that you add one part water for coffee. Yet it doesn't coat half what you pay your milkman for cream.

Add two parts water and you have rich milk. The cost of such milk, when you buy Van Camp's by the case, is but six cents per quart.

Then you have no waste—no milk left over. That saving, in itself, is enormous.

So you have a cow in your kitchen—rich milk or cream whenever you want it. And it costs less than hand-to-mouth buying.

You have a pure, rich milk for less than you pay your milkman.

Matchless Milk Dishes

Just make one milk dish with Van Camp's. Note the wonderful flavor and richness. Then you'll forever use it.

Yet that flavor is not artificial. It comes solely from the rare, rich milk.

You are used to cooking with half-milk—you who buy from the milkman. For milkman's milk separates, before and after you get it.

The butter fat rises; the solids fall. You get so you don't know what whole milk means. You get all the milk in Van Camp's.

But Be Careful

Condensed milk is half sugar. You can't use it for cooking. Don't think that Van Camp's is like that.

And don't think that all evaporated milks are alike.

Van Camp's Milk shows about 8 per cent of butter fat. That's because we use Holstein milk, and take out two-thirds the water.

But milk less rich, and with more water left in, may still be called "evaporated."

If you'll compare Van Camp's with other brands, you will see what a difference there is. Yet others cost as much as Van Camp's.

Van Camp's Milk comes in 6 and 16-cent cans, at your grocer's. It is put up at our dairies, in five states, where we milk 30,000 Holstein cows.

Van Camp's Milk

Evaporated—Sterilized—Unsweetened

Van Camp Packing Co.
Indianapolis, Ind.

"MRS. EDDY REWROTE THE LORD'S PRAYER"

NEW YORK, May 17.—Those who attended Dr. S. McArthur's Current Events class at the Calvary Baptist Church yesterday to hear his discussion of "Common Sense and Religion" heard him say:

"I am a Christian Scientist, being both a Christian and a Scientist, but I am not an Eddyite. Eddyism is a violation of common sense in philosophy, in rhetoric and in religion.

"I think it is guilty of unpardonable presumption. She has actually rewritten the Lord's prayer. I scarcely dare to trust myself to give her version of the Lord's prayer, for fear of Christian disgrace shamed by her travesty of this ordinance. I feel that no one who dares to take up the name of Jesus can think of her work without loathing.

"A word on the mercenary spirit shown by this entire cult. As Mark Twain has said, 'The Christian Science Bible is six times as expensive as other books. Christian Science churches have no charities to support. Churches they have, save bare meeting to hide.' Mark Twain says further, and this statement I myself have proved the truth of: 'There is no evidence of a charitable impulse ever in the history of this trust. What becomes of the immense amount of money that accrues from the sale of this book?'

BOYS FIND $800 CLOTH.

The Somerville police have 400 yards of blue cloth for which they want an owner. It was found by several boys early last evening under a freight car on the Myrtle branch of the Boston & Maine Railroad. It was in two bales. The police say that it must be worth at least 82 a yard.

THE BOSTON AMERICAN
Published Daily and Sunday at 80 and 82 Summer Street, Boston, Mass.
NEW ENGLAND NEWSPAPER PUBLISHING CO.
Entered as second class matter, June 4, 1904, at the postoffice at Boston, Mass.
Price: Daily, One Cent; Sunday, Five Cents.
Terms of subscription (prepaid for the United States (outside of Boston) and Mexico):
Daily only:
One year..... $3.00
Six months..... 1.50
One month..... .25
Sunday only:
One year..... 2.50
Six months..... 1.25
Daily and Sunday:
One year..... 5.00
Six months..... 2.75
One month..... .50
On foreign subscriptions add 1 cent per copy for each 1 cent per copy daily and 2 cents per copy Sunday.

GOV. DRAPER'S VETO OF EIGHT HOUR LAW---HERE IT IS IN FULL

Governor Draper's veto of the eight-hour bill on public works, filed on Saturday, was read this afternoon in the House of Representatives, and action was deferred until Wednesday.

The text of the veto is sweeping in its character. He charges that the bill is one "for putting unnecessary and unwise restrictions on the use and labor of the Commonwealth, and making some men primafacie criminals instead of considering them innocent until they are proven guilty."

The section which makes it a prima facie case of violation, that because a man works more than eight hours, the Governor declares is "unfair, improper, and not entirely constitutional." The raising of the penalty from $50 fine for a violation to $1,000, or one year imprisonment, or both, the Governor declares is "too small."

He also says the bill is unconstitutional because it contains no clause providing for the exemption of persons whose contracts were made before the act went into effect. This is the full text of the vote:

The Governor's Message.

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives:

I return herewith without my approval, a bill entitled, "An Act to Constitute Eight Hours a Day's Work for Laborers, Workmen and Mechanics employed by or on behalf of the Commonwealth."

Chapter 200 of the acts of 1907 contains the following provisions: "Eight hours shall constitute a day's work for all laborers, workmen and mechanics now or hereafter employed by or on behalf of the Commonwealth or of any county therein, or of any city or town which has accepted the provisions of section 29 of chapter 106 of the acts of 1906."

The present bill under consideration makes various changes in this existing law.

Another one of the provisions of the existing law is that "no laborer, workman or mechanic so employed shall be required to work more than eight hours in any one calendar day."

The proposed law makes it "unlawful for any officer of the Commonwealth or of any county therein, or of any such city or town, or for any such contractor or sub-contractor, or other person whose duty it shall be to employ, direct or control the service of such laborers, workmen or mechanics, to require or permit any such laborer, workman or mechanic to work more than eight hours in any one calendar day, except in cases of extraordinary emergency."

"Unwarrantable Interference."

In this sentence the difference between the proposed and the existing law is in the use of the words "require or permit" in place of the words "shall be requested or required" to work more than eight hours in one calendar day.

This is a very drastic change, and it seems to me to be needless. I do not think it is an unwarrantable interference with the right of the workingman to work more than eight hours in a day if he so desires.

Another change suggested by the new law appears in Section 3, where it proposes "that any agent or official of the Commonwealth, or of any county therein, or of any city or town, or any contractor or sub-contractor or any agent or person acting on behalf of any contractor or sub-contractor who violates any provision of this act shall be punished by a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars or by imprisonment for six months, or by both such fine and imprisonment."

The present law provides that any such person as described in the first part of Section 3 above quoted who violates any provision of the act "shall be subject to a penalty of $50 for each offence."

This proposed bill increases the penalty from a fine of $50 for each offence to a fine not exceeding $1,000, or by imprisonment for six months, or by both such fine and imprisonment for each offence. The term to me to be altogether too drastic a penalty for such an offence and one that ought to be enacted into law.

Section 5 of the proposed act provides "that at any trial arising under the provisions of this act evidence that laborers, workmen or mechanics have worked or are working more than eight hours in any one calendar day shall be prima facie evidence of the violation of the provisions of this act."

Guilty Before Trial.

This provision seems to me to be absolutely unjust and improper, if not entirely unconstitutional. It would make the defendant in a cause under this act adjudged prima facie guilty before trial, and he would be obliged to prove his innocence rather than compel the complainant to prove his guilty. This to my mind is an unwarrantable change in the present law which would be absolutely unjust to part of our citizens, and could only be defended on the ground that laboring men working for the State or on public works must be treated by the law in an entirely different way than other individuals, and that they could be employed on other classes of work. This would, it seems to me, be an unwarranted reflection on their independence and intelligence and would be a class legislation of the worst kind.

There is one other defect in this bill which I think should have been would make it absolutely unconstitutional. It has no provisions concerning contracts entered into prior to the passage of the act, which I think is in this respect and unconstitutional.

I further believe that the defect of this law would be to drive much business now done in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to other States, and therefore work a great hardship on manufacturers, and on laboring and skilled men in Massachusetts, as it would deprive them of employment by contractors of work which they ought to have and would deprive those who work for them of an opportunity to get employment on such work. The restrictions of this bill could not be carried out in regard to contractors outside the Commonwealth who may be furnishing work for the State, and they would therefore have a great advantage in competitive work.

I do not believe it is wise to handicap our manufacturers and laboring men with unnecessary restrictions of this kind.

As I said earlier, it is not a bill to constitute eight hours a day's work for public employes, but it is a bill for putting unnecessary and unwise restrictions on business and labor of the Commonwealth, and making some men prima facie criminals instead of considering them innocent until they are proven guilty.

(Signed) **EBEN S. DRAPER.**

A. F. of L. Counsel Replies.

Frederick W. Mansfield, counsel for the Massachusetts branch of the American Federation of Labor, to-day gave out his arguments in favor of the provisions of the bill, the declaring that section 5, to which Governor Draper especially objected, was in all of these particulars a fair and reasonable one, and that the law could not be enforced without it.

If evidence is brought into court that a contractor has been causing men to work more than eight hours in any one calendar day, why shouldn't it be considered a prima facie case against him," asks Mr. Mansfield, "what sympathy is he entitled to, or what consideration any more than the one who uses short lobsters or has in his possession the tainted meat or the dead horse?"

As to making the penalty $1,000 fine maximum or six months' imprisonment maximum, Mr. Mansfield says the old penalty was so small as to render the law practically worthless.

TODAY'S STOCK MARKETS: FINANCIAL NEWS

WALL ST. NEWS FOR INVESTORS

WALL STREET, New York, May 17.—Occasional breaks in the stock market last week have seemed to require more careful explanations than previously. The suggests the advisability of examining the situation from the bear point of view. All the world is familiar with the arguments for higher prices, but it must not be forgotten that there is also something to say for the other side of the case.

One obstacle to a decline in the market recently has been that so many clever operators were absolutely sure the psychological moment had come to sell stocks. They sold prematurely and their accumulated short sales furnished the malnpring for a continued advance. The last ten days the market has looked as though it might be preparing to sell again in an attempt to find the top.

Perhaps the strongest argument of the bear side is the fact that the leading railroad stocks at present afford good bargains. Union Pacific can easily be defended on the ground that labor is around which figure it has many recently. It is within a reasonable distance of a fair price. South Pacific is the last too dizzy it has come up from far below par. Steel at 58 is $11 a share more than its earnings. That means an appreciation of more than $35,000,000 in the value of the common stock, or the equivalent of the entire net earnings of last year.

* * *

The arguments for higher prices have been good. Last week a strong move has been placed upon them in Wall Street.

* * *

The government report on Winter wheat was a justification of the bull position that have prevailed in Chicago. But it inspired enormous plantings of Spring wheat and other grains, so that the next crop will unquestionably be larger than ever before. The public mind seems to be entirely at ease in regard to the situation. There is no longer any doubt that the steel trade is booming. Every week shows advancing in price, and there is a heavy consumption of the metal. New York agents of producers say that they have orders for all they have disposed of nearly 120,000,000 pounds. Money is plentiful. Railroads are able to sell all the bonds they want to issue, and even Mexico is a prosperous country large enough to carry it through. The Steel Trust is predicting a big new dividend, at a cost of $6 a ton under the best of its competitors. Europe is taking American bonds freely. It is impossible to imagine an argument for higher prices that is not already fully stated and concurred in by all the world.

* * *

This universal optimism is causing veteran traders in Wall Street to slip out of their stocks. Every few days the announcement is made that this or that one is about to go to Europe and has disposed of a few hundred thousand shares of stock. On being questioned in detail, he admits that he has sold, but says he did it just to lighten his load and without any expectation that the market would follow his lead. He always says that there is nothing more than he sold and nearly all of these gentlemen say that the stocks they are retaining are Steel. There is a world-wide belief that Steel common will sell at 75 this Summer and at par before Christmas.

* * *

It is unkind to rouse people from happy dreams, but the history of Wall Street is that when everybody believes a thing is going to happen it never happens. In October and November, 1907, everybody believed that non-vendors of securities were at hand. As a matter of fact half of the Stock Exchange houses on Wall Street would have been unable to meet their obligations had demand been made upon them. So many national banks were in distress that in order to control the week ones every bank suspended specie payment. And yet, in those weeks of universal panicking, the veterans traders of Wall Street picked up the greatest bargains ever heard of. Union Pacific was purchased at par, Steel at 22, Southern Pacific in the 70's and Standard Oil was to be had several hundred points below its present quotation. Universal bankruptcy did not occur and the great mass of the public stood and looked on while the bargains slipped away.

* * *

Now the investing public has stocks that show enormous profits. They are thoroughly convinced that the market will continue to advance throughout the Summer. Very high prices are their idea of the value of stocks, and they refuse to sell. One after another of the shrewd insiders has made a new high record without bringing out more than a handful of stocks. It will be time for the public is right. The situation certainly does look strong, but without expressing any opinion as to which side of the market one should take, it is certainly the time for a market review and an all public attention to the fact that the bear party sooner or later will have its day in Wall Street.

KILLED IN GUN FIGHT OVER CARDS

William DeNatio, aged twenty-five, of No. 23 Sheafe street, died at the Relief Hospital early this morning, as a result of a bullet wound in the head, following a battle in the dark and narrow hallway of the house, No. 19 Merrimac street, this city.

A the hospital is John Christophers, aged thirty, of No. 6 Margaret street, with three deep razor wounds, one across the throat, one on the left cheek, another across one cheek, and the third on the left shoulder. He is charged with assault on De Natio.

Carmine Christophers, aged thirty-six and living at No. 19 Merrimac street, and his brother Fiarlano, are held at police headquarters on charges of carrying concealed weapons. The police believe De Natio was fatally injured in a fight caused by a game of cards.

WAR FOR CHEAP GAS ON IN ATTLEBORO

ATTLEBORO, May 17.—The Selectmen have inaugurated war on the Attleboro Gaslight Company for $1 gas. Selectman George A. Sweeney is the principal leader in the contest, and he declares the action the company accedes a demand for cheaper gas a determined fight will be made and the matter will be taken before the Gas and Electric Light Commissioners of the State.

In breaking the battle Selectman Sweeney declared that the town should not be forced to pay higher values than other towns and receiving material benefits. He called attention to the fact that the Attleboro Gaslight Company charged $1.50 for gas here contrasted to $1.30 on a cash basis.

15-YEAR-OLD GIRL SWIMS HULL GUT

A fifteen-year-old girl, Alsie Akyroyd, swam across Hull Gut yesterday and she is said to be the first girl ever to have successfully succeeded in crossing the treacherous piece of water. Miss Akyroyd is well known in East Boston as an expert swimmer and last season defeated many of the best local swimmers and won many valuable prizes.

It took her twelve minutes to struggle through Hull Gut in water which registered fifty degrees. She was accompanied by John Berg, the crack swimmer and Jimmie Winston who were in a boat.

According to plans arranged Miss Akyroyd will sail for Europe on June 2 and may attempt some difficult swimming feats on the other side.

FEW CHANGES IN LOCAL LIST

State Street—There was little of interest in the stock market this forenoon. It was very quiet with sentiment hopeful.

Price changes in leading stocks were light, but firm as a rule. North Butte was the one exception, and on moderate dealings ran off fractionally to 60¾. Amalgamated offered slightly to 83¼.

Swift was fairly active up to 109¾. Talk of a stock issue by this company was denied. Consolidated Telephone was quiet around 140. East Butte brought 12¼@12¾, and the rights advanced from 60 to 60 cents. Isle Royale was firm at 29¾@29¾.

National Carbon preferred and common shares have been placed on the Boston Stock Exchange. Trading on the local Curb exchange was in sympathetic line. Continued advances in Southwestern issues, with the other features. Rio Grande sagged to 6%, but recovered to above Reliverts advanced 6, to 57-16.

BOSTON STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices to noon for leading Boston stocks:

TELEPHONES.

	High.	Low.	Noon.
American	139¾	139¾	139¾
New England	133⅝	132½	133⅝

MINING STOCKS.

Arcadian	5¼	5¼	5¼
Arizona Commercial	43⅝	43⅝	43⅝
Butte Coalition	19¼	19	19
Calumet & Arizona	104	104	104
Copper Range	80¾	80½	80¾
Daly-West	9⅜	9⅜	9⅜
Greene-Cananea	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝
La Salle Copper	14⅞	14⅞	14⅞
Nevada Con.	23½	23	23½
North Butte	61	60¼	60¾
Parrot	34½	34⅜	34⅝
Quincy	90	90	90
Santa Fe	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
Shannon	14⅝	14⅝	14⅝
Superior	41	41	41
Tamarack	70	70	70
Utah Copper	51⅛	51⅛	51⅛

MISCELLANEOUS.

Am. Pneumatic	9	8¾	9
Am. Sugar, com.	137½	137¼	137½
United S. Mach.	57½	57½	57½
United S. Mach. pf.	29¾	29¾	29¾

UNLISTED SECURITIES.

Amalgamated	83¼	82⅝	83
Am. Agricultural	39½	39½	39½
At., Gulf & W. I. pf	20	20	20
Boston Elev.	153½	153½	153½
East Butte	12⅜	12⅜	12⅜
Isle Royale	29¾	29¾	29¾
Lake Copper	24	24	24
Superior & Boston	14⅜	14⅜	14⅜
Superior & Pitts.	14⅝	14⅝	14⅝
Swift & Co.	109¼	109¼	109¼
U. S. Smelting	47¼	47⅛	47¼
U. S. Sm. pf.	48	47⅞	48
Utah-Apex	5¾	5¾	5¾

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices to noon for leading New York stocks:

RAILROADS.

	High	Low	Noon
Atch., T. & S. F.	109¾	108½	109½
Balt. & Ohio	115	114⅝	115
Brooklyn Rap. Tr.	79¼	78¾	79¼
Canadian Pac	180⅝	180¼	180⅝
Central Leather	34	33⅝	34
Chic. Gt. West	5	4⅝	4⅝
Chic. & N. W.	151	150⅝	151
Chic. & R. I.	182½	182½	182½
Del. & Hudson	179½	179½	179½
Denver & Rio G.	50¾	50⅝	50⅝
Erie	34	33⅝	33⅝
Erie 1st pf.	51⅜	51⅛	51⅛
Gt. North'n pf.	141⅝	140	140½
Illinois Central	147	146¾	147
Int.-Metropol	16⅝	16⅛	16⅝
Int.-Met. pf.	46¾	46¼	46¾
Kn. City So.	47¼	47¼	47¼
Louis. & Nash.	139	139	139
Minn. & St. Paul	42½	42½	42⅝
Missouri Pac.	57¼	56¾	57
N. Y. C. & Hud.	131½	131½	131½
Norfolk & West	91¾	91¼	91¾
Northern Pac.	141⅝	141⅛	141⅜
Pennsylvania	134⅝	134¾	134⅝
Reading	157⅞	157¼	157¾
Rock Island	33¾	32⅝	32⅝
Rock Island pf.	73¾	73¼	73¼
Southern Pac.	122½	121⅝	122
Southern Ry.	30¾	30¼	30¾
Third Ave.	31⅝	30⅝	31⅛
Union Pacific	180¾	180¼	180¾
Wabash	20	19½	20
Wabash pf.	50¾	50¼	50¾
Wisconsin Cen. pf.	89⅝	89⅝	89⅝

INDUSTRIALS AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Amal. Copper	83¼	82⅝	83⅛
Am. Car & Fdy.	55	54¾	55
Am. Cotton Oil	68	68	68
Amer. Locomo.	57⅜	57¼	57⅜
Amer. Sm. & R.	93¼	93⅛	93¼
Amer. Sug. Ref.	134	134	134
Am. Beet Sug.	39	38	38⅜
Am. Woolen, pref.	105⅞	105⅝	105⅝
Anaconda Cop.	50¼	50⅜	50¼
Col. Fuel & Iron	48¾	48¼	48¾
Con. Gas (N. Y.)	148¾	148¾	148¾
Distill. Secur.	36¾	36⅝	36¾
Gen. Electric	161¾	160¾	161¼
Mocking Coal	68	68	68
National Lead	55	54¾	55
People's Gas	115⅝	115⅛	115⅝
Press. Steel Car	62¾	62¼	62¾
Rep. I. & Steel	28¾	28⅝	28⅝
Rep. I. & Steel pf.	88¼	88¼	88¼
U. S. Rub. Ist pref.	110	110	110
U. S. Steel	57⅝	57⅜	57⅝
U. S. Steel pref.	119	118⅞	119
Utah Copper	51⅜	51⅛	51⅜
Union Pac. pf.	73¾	73½	73¾
West. El. & Mfg.	85⅝	84	85⅛

BOSTON CURB.

Range of prices from 10 a. m. to 12 m.

Stocks.	High.	Low.	Last.
Bay State Gas	6⅜	6⅛	6⅜
Black Mt.	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝
Boston Ely	2¼	2¼	2¼
Bonanza	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
Butte Coal	10¾	10¼	10¾
Cobalt	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜
Cobalt Central	42½	42½	42½
Cumberland	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
Davis Daly	6⅞	6⅝	6⅞
Davis Daly pf.	6⅞	6⅝	6⅞
Elm River	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
Ely Consol.	15⅝	15¼	15⅝
Fed. Mining & Smelting	3	2⅞	3
Fed. Mining & Smelting pf.	9	8¾	9
Goldfield Con.	7 15-16	7 15-16	7 15-16
Green Can.	12	10⅝	10⅝
Helvetia	65	65	65
Immigration	9-16	7-16	9-16
Mason Valley	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
National Separator	1¾	1¾	1¾
Nevada Con.	23 11-16	23	23 11-16
Nevada Utah	16½	16½	16½
Ohio Copper	⅛	⅛	⅛
Ohio Cop. pf.	18	18	18
Pond Creek	61	60¾	60¾
Silver Leaf	12	12	12
Silver Queen	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Southwest. Devel.	26¢	21¢	25¢
Tuolumne	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞

BOSTON BANK STATEMENT.

	Mar 15, '09.	May 8, '09.	Decrease.
Loans	$210,120,000	$207,431,000	$2,719,000
Investments	51,000,000	51,661,000	661,000
Deposits	180,300,000	178,762,000	$1,508,000
Circulation	49,647,000	49,597,000	50,000
U. S. deposits	797,000	725,000	72,000
Reserve, agst.	57,200,000	54,473,000	2,726,000
Reserve, agst.	15,812,000	15,812,000	2,726,000
Exchange, clear.	25,942,000	21,921,000	$2,000,000
Due from banks	19,000,000	19,000,000	000,000
Due to banks	4,307,000	3,990,000	$317,000
Specie	20,000,000	19,000,000	$1,000,000
Legal tenders	5,500,714	5,969,286	379,572
Ex. within'n agts	12,718,714	15,817,286	3,098,572

Decrease.

Excess of reserve last year in Boston, $1,089,286; with reserve agents, $6,014,286.

SILVER MARKET.

London bar, 24½d., up ⅛d.
New York bar, 53c., up ⅛c.

COPPER MARKET.

London opened easy; spot, £57 7s. 6d.; futures, £60 15s.; off, 2s. 6d. to 3s.

Closing standard, £59 3s. 9d.; futures, £60 15s.; off, 2s. 6d.

The New York Metal Exchange quotes copper firm; lake, 13¼@13½c; electrolytic, 12¾@13c; casting, 12¾@12¾c.

BITTER TAX REFORM FIGHT ON IN SENATE

As a result of the action of the Senate in killing without debate the Merchants' Association's proposed amendment to the constitution doing away with "property" taxation and permitting taxation of property by classification, there is every prospect of a bitter clash this week, between the "vested interests" and the reformers.

The House voted overwhelmingly for the amendment, 156 to 90. The corporation lobby killed the measure by the slim margin of 17 to 16.

For more than thirty years publicists, economists and business interests of this city have struggled to free Boston from the throttling effect of unjust, unequal taxation. One little word in the constitution has made all effort futile. This decrees that all taxes must be "proportional" and must be levied on all classes of property alike.

Lobby Against Measure.

The Merchants' Association wants the constitution amended so that property may be divided into several great classifications.

The Merchants' Association's Committee on Taxation, of which John C. Cobb is chairman and Professor Charles J. Bullock of Harvard, the leading authority in the United States on taxation, is the most eminent member, has tried to have a bill permitting a referendum on this constitutional amendment eliminating the word "proportional" passed upon than ever.

The lobbyists of the Boston Elevated and Real Estate Exchange and big corporations have been busy trying to head it off.

Turcio of Pittsfield, who is leading the senators favoring the amendment, managed Friday to secure an agreement that the vote will be reconsidered on Thursday.

The Boston Elevated and Real Estate Exchange crowd declare that they will beat the amendment more than ever.

Stocks Made Non-Taxable.

There is a very radical element in the Merchants' Association which is eager to declare war to the end on the interests which are defeating tax reform. It is claimed by this radical minority that only the big cosmetic corporations, of which the Boston Elevated is cited as the largest beneficiary, gain by the present law which makes their shares of stock non-taxable, that the vast majority of stock shares are in corporations organized under the laws of other States and known as "foreign."

Those offer no field for the big investors, since all have to be taxed at their full market value. It is plain that no big investor will put his money into foreign stocks or bonds at from 3 per cent. and pay nearly 2 per cent. in taxes. All such are driven to invest in the domestic corporations, non-taxable shares, or in the very choicest of down-town Boston real estate. This is said to be doubling in value every few years, as on the market at fancy prices and brings good returns.

FEDERAL REPORT LAUDS BAY STATE TAXATION SYSTEM

WASHINGTON, May 17.—The bureau of corporations of the Department of Commerce and Labor to-day made public a report on taxation of corporations in New England. Reports are to be made at intervals on State taxation in all States of manufacturing, mercantile, transportation and transmission corporations in all States.

To-day's report announces that the taxation of individuals is reported to this substantially the same throughout New England. Corporate taxation, on the other hand shows wide diversity both in theory and practice. Individuals are taxed on property. Corporations are taxed on property, or income, or on a combination of the two, or on capital stock annually, or market value or occasionally—as in the case of telegraph and telephone companies—on mileage or number of instruments.

Massachusetts alone successfully succeeds especially in efforts to tax specially the manufacturing and mercantile corporations. It receives over $2,500,000 from this source the other five States very little.

Maine alone of the New England States secures large revenue by chartering corporations—nearly $250,000 annually.

Vermont and Connecticut are the only States which practically pay practically State expenses. In the other States the town and municipal large amounts to turn over to the State.

SUES FOR $15,000 FOR WIFE'S LOVE

Harry L. Dorr of Randolph to-day filed with the Norfolk County Register of Deeds an attachment of $15,000 against Percy C. Crockett, also of Randolph, in a suit for alienation of his wife's affections. Dorr has also filed a suit for divorce in Plymouth County, naming Crockett in the case.

REAL ESTATE MORTGAGES ON THE INCREASE

Real estate sales and mortgages for the past week both showed a big increase over the records for the corresponding weeks of 1908 and 1907. The amount of mortgages was the largest ever filed in Suffolk county, because of the instrument for $30,000, given by the American Buildings Trust.

The files of the Real Estate Exchange show the following entries of record at the Suffolk Registry of Deeds for the week ending May 15:

	1909	1908	1907.
Number transfers.	632	591	695
Number mortgages.	282	207	235
Amount mortgages.	$21,198,200	$365,000	$714,000

The following table, also compiled by the Real Estate Exchange, gives each day's transactions for the week beginning May 10 and ending May 15:

	Sales.	Mtgs.	Amt Mtgs.
May 10	102	33	$ 926,900
May 11	97	43	2,997,000
May 12	97	40	248,100
May 13	152	58	20,324,100
May 14	105	51	193,000
May 15	107	57	297,111
Total	635	282	$21,198,200

In the record of sales to-day nineteen property was once again the big feature.

In the North End the interest in the three-story and basement swell-front brick house and 1,900 square feet of land at No. 159 West Canton street, has been transferred by Annie E. Burke et al. to Lawrence Duffy. The estate is assessed for a total of $8,500, of which $5,800 is on the land.

Deal in Brighton.

In Brighton John M. Sullivan has purchased from Sarah L. Nash et al., trustee, the large tract of land and small frame house at the corner of Lake street and Appleton road, extending to the Newton line. The plot contains 321,200 square feet of land, assessed for a total of $12,850, of which $10,900 is on the land.

The Boston Missionary and Church Extension Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church has purchased of Edward Lowell and Edward Cunningham the vacant land on Spencer road (3,100 square feet) on the west side of Howard avenue, near Dudley street. The property is assessed for a total of $4,000, which $2,800 is on the land.

Nellie L. Cook, guardian; John H. Teele and wife and Gwen R. Dickey have sold to Hannah C. Wiberg the three frame houses and 2,000 square feet of land at Nos. 1911-13 Dorchester avenue, corner of No. 3 and 5 Norfolk street, Dorchester, assessed for a total of $12,700, of which $1,900 is on the land.

Dorchester Property Sold.

Catherine M. Black has sold to Joseph F. May and wife the frame house and 3,000 square feet of land at No. 41 Bullard street, near Bowdoin street, Dorchester. The estate is taxed on a total valuation of $7,000, of which $1,000 is on the land.

Catherine McKenna, trustee, has sold to Nora E. Kaigans the three-apartment frame house and 2,331 square feet of land at No. 159 Bowdoin street, near Talbot street. The property is assessed for a total of $6,000, of which $1,500 is on the land.

John F. Hanley has sold to Joseph F. May and wife the frame house and 3,000 square feet of land at No. 41 Bullard street, near Bowdoin street, Dorchester. The estate is taxed on a total valuation of $7,000, of which $1,000 is on the land.

Catherine McKenna, trustee, has sold to Nora E. Kaigans the three-apartment frame house and 2,331 square feet of land at No. 159 Bowdoin street, near Talbot street. The property is assessed for a total of $6,000, of which $1,500 is on the land.

In Roxbury a frame house, stable and 2,500 square feet of land on Washington street, near Kingsbury street, assessed for a total of $5,000, have been sold by Albert Wetherbee et al. to the Grand was the purchaser.

A WARNING TO SLEEPING CAR FLIRTS

NEW YORK, May 17.—When the Buffalo express rolled into the One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street station, Roundsman O'Grady arrested a man who gave the name as Don Morrison and his address as the Hotel Majestic, Chicago. The complainant was a stylishly dressed woman, who said she was Mrs. Mary Kemp, of No. 205 East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street.

The woman said that Morrison had passed a note to her in her berth on the sleeper, and thus insulted her and threw her into a highly nervous state.

The policeman who made the arrest was accompanied by a man who gave his name as Monroe Holstein, and who said he was a railroad detective, and also by a colored man, who said he was Fred G. Smith, a passenger, and would corroborate the charge against Morrison. They went to the East One Hundred and Twentieth street police station, where the women swore out a complaint. Morrison was locked up.

He was arraigned in the Harlem Police Court and held in $500 bail, which he later gave. A man named Swartz was also in the box when Morrison was being getting out disappeared.

The note which caused all the trouble was written on a telegraph blank, and, according to Morrison, they were jointly writing it, but said he thought he knew the woman was dropped into her berth by a porter. Morrison said he was in the smoker until after midnight, saw the woman get on the train at Rochester and supposed he knew her.

Miss Kenney was not present in court, but a young man who said he was her brother appeared to plead for clemency. He said that his sister was too ill from nervousness to appear. There was a rumor that the brother was connected with the police department, but this could not be verified. The case was set down for Tuesday morning.

Court Dates for King Edward.

LONDON.—King Edward, having returned from his Mediterranean holiday on the Continent and the Mediterranean, the dates have been fixed for the customary two courts. The first is for June 1 and the second for June 24, each to be held in Buckingham palace, of course.

Washington Realty Investment Association. The land is valued for $8,800.

Transfer in Roxbury.

C. Louis Sanger has sold to Mary J. Foley the frame house and 2,400 square feet of land at 52 Murray avenue, off Blue Hill avenue, Roxbury, assessed for $3,400.

Celia Undsay has sold to Celia Segal a plot of 6,000 square feet of land, assessed for 35 cents a foot, on Bellevuey street, near Harold street, Roxbury. The same grantee has sold to Mrs. Chernow a plot of 2,000 feet of land, assessed for 35 cents a foot, on Bellevuey street, Roxbury.

Warren J. Freeman of the Kimball building has sold for Paul Hemphill his property at No. 177 East River street, Ryan Park, consisting of a cottage house of seven rooms and about 7,000 square feet of land, all assessed for $1,600. Samuel F.

STOCKS QUIET BUT STRONG

By T. C. SHOTWELL.

NEW YORK, May 17.—Stocks were quiet but strong in the early trading today. A few fractional advances were made in the standard issues, notably Steel, Union Pacific and Chesapeake & Ohio. Business was not on a very large scale, the public apparently having no interest in the market.

London was irregular. All news affecting the market was cheerful, but the general disposition in Wall Street seemed to be to sell stocks rather than to buy them. None of the big manipulators seemed willing to get under the market at the moment.

On the curb market the low cost producers in the copper list were strong and fairly active at high record prices. The thoroughly developed properties at Colorado were also strong. The greatest activity on the curb was in Nevada Consolidated, Cumberland Ely, Giroux, Ray Central, Ray Consolidated, Larose and Kerr Lake.

TWO IN PERIL AS ANCHOR TEARS DECK

In an strange an accident as was ever seen at a wharf, William Sollitos and Carl Mansner, two fishermen on the schooner Robert and Arthur, had the closest possible shaves from being seriously injured. The schooner caught the starboard anchor of the Matlaca, which was hanging over the rail forward. The anchor was dragged aboard, and its fluke tore great pieces out of the deckhouse, and almost did the same to Sullivan and Mansner, who were caught by the immense deckhook before they knew it, but jumped clear.

CHICAGO BANKER DEAD.

CHICAGO, May 17.—Helge A. Haugan, sixty-two years old, president of the State Bank of Chicago, died suddenly at his home of heart disease to-day. Mr. Haugan was president of the Bankers' Club and vice-president of the Chicago Clearing House.

Can They Pull Them Down?

¶ Harold Bolce, in the second of his three amazing articles on the revolutionary teachings of our American colleges, in June COSMOPOLITAN MAGAZINE, tells us what many of our foremost professors say about our most cherished national ideas.

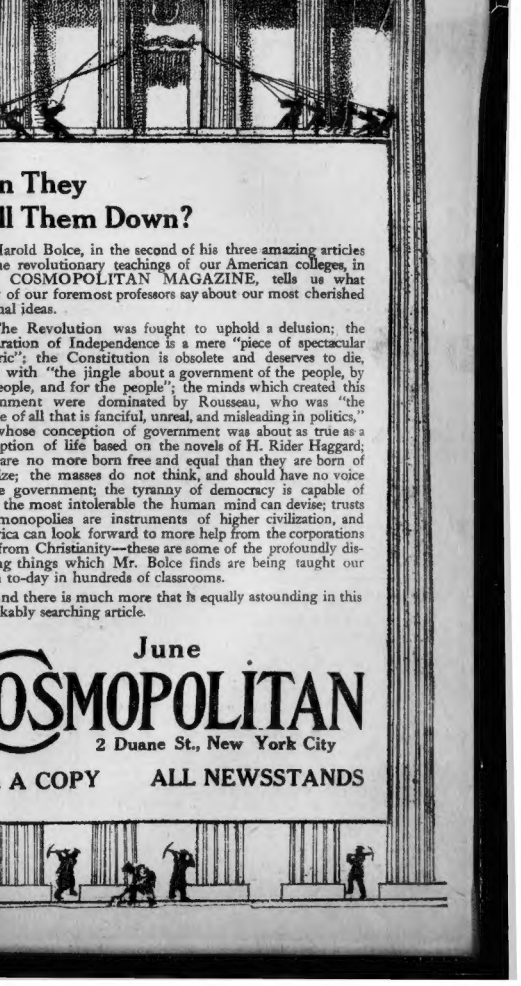
¶ The Revolution was fought to uphold a delusion; the Declaration of Independence is a mere "piece of spectacular rhetoric"; the Constitution is obsolete and deserves to die, along with "the jingle about a government of the people, by the people, and for the people"; the minds which created this government were dominated by Rousseau, who was "the apostle of all that is fanciful, unreal, and misleading in politics," and whose conception of government was about as true as a conception of life based on the novels of H. Rider Haggard; men are no more born free and equal than they are born of one size; the masses do not think, and should have no voice in the government; the tyranny of democracy is capable of being the most intolerable the human mind can devise; trusts and monopolies are instruments of higher civilization, and America can look forward to more help from the corporations than from Christianity—these are some of the profoundly disturbing things which Mr. Bolce finds are being taught our youth to-day in hundreds of classrooms.

¶ And there is much more that is equally astounding in this remarkably searching article.

June COSMOPOLITAN

2 Duane St., New York City

15c A COPY ALL NEWSSTANDS



KILL MINERS' LEADER.

CHARKSVILLE, Ark., May 17.—In a quarrel over a new contract between the mine owners and operators Tom Curry, president of the miners' local, was killed to-day.

DOVES MEET THE CARDINALS IN SECOND GAME

BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS

RED SOX NOW OUT TO WIN FIRST POSITION

SPEED WINS FOR RED SOX, SAY WRITERS

That the Red Sox, or "Speed Boys" as the Boston American League team has been nicknamed out West, are playing the swiftest game in the American League is acknowledged by Cleveland and Detroit newspaper writers.

It is speed, a tight infield and a wonderful outfield combined with good pitching that is keeping down the opponents' tallies, while the ability to wallop the ball at the right time and great speed on the bases serve to pile up the runs for Lake's men.

It might be said that the Red Sox take too many chances on the bases. Reports of the games show that they are often nipped in their attempts to steal extra bags, but on the other hand they get more extra bases than they lose, and the fact that they have the speed to go after everything in sight keeps the other fellows on the anxious seat all the time.

It is safe to say that the Red Sox have hardly lost a game this year by being nipped between bases, while many another one game has been chalked up to their credit because of their speed on the bags. The Red Sox are simply playing the style of game that won the pennant for Detroit two seasons running.

A burnt child dreads the fire. One of Cobb's great stunts is running from first to third on a sacrifice bunt and another of his tricks is always make third when he is on second base and a ball is hit to short or second. But Heiney Wagner, the Red Sox baserunning "got us" to Cobb's little game last season and pinched him everytime he tried his tricks against the Boston team. So it was that when he reached second as Detroit yesterday and the next man hit a slow one to Wagner, Cobb refused to take a chance at making third and remained anchored at second. Wagner held the ball for a moment, expecting to nab Cobb on the base lines and then threw too late to catch the runner at first. Perhaps after all, Cobb outguessed Wagner and fooled him into holding the ball so that the runner could reach first.

If the Red Sox win to-day and to-morrow they will move on to Chicago at the head of the American League race and will have accomplished a feat rarely performed. Starting out from Boston on May 4, they split even with New York in a four-game series, then went to Cleveland and cleaned up the series of three games. Now they have won the first from Detroit and Benz and Cheney are on the pitching. With a fair break of luck the chances are in favor of the Speed Boys taking the two remaining games from the Tigers.

PROKOS TO GRAPPLE FRENCH STRANGLER

Manager Farren will start off his big wrestling carnival tonight with one of the most interesting matches of the year. He has made arrangements with Bob Goulette, the French strangler, to come to Boston and meet Prokos, and has offered the French wonder that he will put him on Saturday evening against the winner of the Sunse-Willoughby bout. Prokos has not been seen in action in this section of the country for a good second to get good enough to warrant that he will make Prokos step some in order to make a showing. He is a marvel of speed, and fully as agile as Goulette. He uses some tactics that remind one very much of Farrell, and while not so ferocious as the Italian he nevertheless manages to get the best of many an opponent by foul methods. The crowd at the Columbia this evening will see some interesting work.

Jim Prokos must not be confounded with the Greek Prokos who recently committed suicide last week, for Jim has not yet secured the bonds of matrimony and there is no relationship with the wrestler now in custody. Prokos is in good condition and will put up a good strong battle.

The bout Wednesday night will be between Walter Willoughby and Cyclone Burns, the time to be limited to an hour, a rather long session as both wrestled last week and so hour without a fall being registered.

WILL WRESTLE FOR TWO MAT TITLES

Henry Gebting of Cleveland is now the middleweight wrestling champion of America, but many believe that after next Thursday night Cleveland will be ready to claim another wrestling championship.

On that night, in Grays Armory, Otto Stifel of Cleveland meets Chas. Conklin of Hamilton, Ont., for the welterweight championship of America, a title which Conklin has held for nearly two years and defended against all comers at this weight. For a time he was also middleweight champion of Canada, but has really too much to wrestle at that limit.

Both he and Stifel are match in five falls, and as a $500 purse is at stake, as well as the championship title, both men can be depended upon to put up the match of their lives.

MOTOR BOAT REGATTA JULY 5

BURLINGTON, Ia., May 17.—The Launch Club of this city will hold a Mississippi River regatta on July 5 and 6 that in scope and variety will be the largest motor boat race program ever given on the river. There are to be ten important prize races, from one mile to thirty miles, and races for all kinds of boats from a twenty-footer to a full cabin cruiser.

Rivalry has been provoked from every important point on the Mississippi between Memphis and St. Paul, as well as from points on the Ohio, Illinois, Cumberland and Missouri Rivers. Burlington will expend $10,000 in the entertainment of her guests.

Nearly everybody in Boston reads the AMERICAN.

One of the very dressy styles in
Silver Collars
This is the correct model—approved by critical dressers everywhere—and the serious objection to other makes of close-meeters is overcome in the flexible LINOCORD buttonholes in this Collar—they're easy to button and unbutton and they don't tear out.
Look at your collar buttonholes
Slide Easy Scarf Bands
Actual laundry tests prove they wear longer than other makes.
HAMLIN
1/4 Sizes
Send a postal to Dept. H for our clever folder. Trade Reserved—It is free.
GEO. P. IDE & CO., Makers, Troy, N. Y.
2 for 25¢

Does This Look Familiar to You?

BATTING AVERAGES OF BOSTON BALL PLAYERS

AMERICAN.

	ab.	r.	bh.	2b.	3b.	hr.	ave.
Wagner	22	3	12	0	0	0	.500
Carrigan	23	4	12	0	0	0	.500
Hooper	19	3	8	0	0	0	.421
Speaker	4	1	1	0	0	0	.250
Scott	23	3	7	0	0	0	.304
Hoblitzell	23	3	7	0	0	0	.304
Shorts	3	0	1	0	0	0	.333
Cheney	3	0	1	0	0	0	.333
Gainer	10	0	2	0	0	0	.200
Lewis	39	10	10	2	0	0	.271
McConnell	19	3	6	1	0	0	.316
Walsh	18	4	10	2	1	0	.556
Wilson	20	2	5	1	0	0	.250
Wood	29	4	7	1	0	0	.241
Shawkey	6	0	1	0	0	0	.167
Bush	3	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Leonard	3	0	1	0	0	0	.333
Foster	3	0	1	0	0	0	.333
Dineen	10	0	1	0	0	0	.100
Thomas	2	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Cicotte	2	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Totals	283	39	76	14	2	0	.268

NATIONAL.

	ab.	r.	bh.	2b.	3b.	hr.	ave.
Starr	25	3	10	1	0	0	.400
Bescher	4	0	1	0	0	0	.250
Chapelle	11	1	4	0	0	0	.364
Dooin	4	0	1	0	0	0	.250
Bates	24	12	27	6	3	0	.287
Magee	24	3	7	0	0	0	.292
Hummel	3	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Burns	24	2	10	1	0	0	.417
Becker	1	0	0	0	0	0	.000
White	5	1	1	0	0	0	.200
Becker, L.	3	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Mattern	10	2	3	0	0	0	.300
Tesreau	10	2	3	0	0	0	.300
Stem	1	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Crandall	16	2	3	0	0	0	.187
Schulte	25	3	6	0	0	0	.240
Richter	26	1	5	0	0	0	.192
Wheat	3	0	0	0	0	0	.000
McCarthy	8	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Perdue	2	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Totals	778	75	182	28	7	2	.547

FIELDING AVERAGES OF BOSTON BALL PLAYERS

AMERICAN.

Name and position.	Games.	po.	a.	e.	Ave.
Gessler, rf	17	28	2	0	1.000
Hooper, lf-rf-cf	4	5	0	0	1.000
Cheek, p	1	0	1	0	1.000
Hoppe, rf	13	17	1	0	1.000
Wolfer, p	1	0	1	0	1.000
Wood, p	5	4	10	0	1.000
Foster, p	2	0	2	1	.667
Carrigan, c	11	61	16	2	.787
Thomas, c	2	10	3	1	.929
Speaker, cf-lf	21	38	2	1	.975
Scott, ss	23	37	39	2	.974
Beck, 1b	23	207	11	3	.987
Shawkey, p	6	0	4	0	1.000
Bedient, p	2	0	2	0	1.000
Leonard, p	3	0	2	0	1.000
Dineen, p	2	0	2	0	1.000
Cicotte, p	2	0	2	0	1.000
Gainer, 1b	28	55	85	13	.921
Lewis, lf	39	52	3	3	.948
Starr, utility	13	37	32	3	.958
Mattern, p	9	0	18	1	.900
Chapelle, p	5	4	12	2	.893
Dooin, p	4	1	4	1	.833
White, p	3	1	3	1	.800
Totals	622	280	88	34	.940

NATIONAL.

Name and position.	Games.	po.	a.	e.	Ave.
Blair, utility	7	16	1	0	1.000
Rudolph, p	1	0	0	0	1.000
Lindeman, p	1	0	0	0	1.000
Smith, c	1	4	0	0	1.000
Smith, c	11	60	16	1	.985
Bittner, 2b	26	50	55	3	.972
Beaumont, cf	23	43	2	2	.957
Evans, c	7	24	6	1	.967
Beck, 1b	15	107	11	3	.976
Schneider, 2b	2	3	3	0	1.000
Schneider, 2b	25	38	45	5	.944
Tenney, 3b	26	28	56	4	.954
Tenney, ss	2	2	3	0	1.000
Dahlen, ss	28	55	85	13	.921
Dahlen, 3b	28	55	85	13	.921
Starr, utility	13	37	32	3	.958
Mattern, p	9	0	18	1	.900
Chapelle, p	5	4	12	2	.893
Dooin, p	4	1	4	1	.833
White, p	3	1	3	1	.800
Totals	622	280	88	34	.940

Standing, Results and To-day's Play in Four Baseball Leagues

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Detroit	18	7	.720
BOSTON	17	8	.680
New York	13	9	.591
St. Louis	9	14	.391
Washington	9	16	.360
Chicago	11	13	.458
Philadelphia	7	16	.304
Cleveland	7	17	.292

TO-DAY'S GAMES.

Boston at Detroit.
New York at Cleveland.
Washington at St. Louis.
Philadelphia at Chicago.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

Boston	1 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0	3	11
Detroit	0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 3	5	1

Batteries—Wolter, Arellanes and Carrigan; Speer and Stanage.

Philadelphia	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	4
Chicago	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1	1	6

Batteries—Coombs and Thomas; Reed and Sullivan.

St. Louis	0 0 2 1 0 0 0 2 —	5	7
Washington	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 —	1	4

Batteries—Graham and Stephens; Johnson and Street.

EASTERN LEAGUE.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	W.	L.	P.C.
Rochester	9	5	.643
Jersey City	8	6	.600
Toronto	8	6	.600
Montreal	9	6	.600
Buffalo	7	10	.412
Providence	6	10	.375
Baltimore	5	10	.333

TO-DAY'S GAMES.

Baltimore at Rochester.
Newark at Buffalo.
Jersey City at Montreal.
Providence at Toronto.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

Newark, 7; Buffalo, 6.
Montreal-Providence, rain.

COLLEGE AND SCHOOL SCHEDULE

COLLEGE.
Rochester University vs. Brown at Providence.

SCHOOL.
Dorchester High vs. Roxbury Latin at Dorchester.
Arsenal (Boston H. L. League) vs. Malden High at Malden.
Lynn Classical High vs. Reading High at Reading (North Shore League).
Arlington High vs. Gloucester High at Arlington.

WHITE SOX STARS GO TO WASHINGTON

CHICAGO, May 17.—President Comiskey has started his May house cleaning in rugged fashion, railroading Jiggs Donohue, Nick Altrock and Charles C. Cravath to Washington in exchange for "Big" Bill Burns, the left-handed mainstay of the Senators' box staff.

Burns was slated to part company with his mates in St. Louis last night, and will probably don the immaculate white in time for practice to-day on the South Side. Altrock, Donohue and Cravath will take a train for Cleveland to-night to await the arrival of the Senators, where they open a series on Wednesday.

THE BATTER.

Hoorooo! Ain't he the slight to hold your pegs?
You'd never think, to see him sparring with the stick,
A beast like him could ever shunt a lick.
But Birdie, scorn of them give me the weeps,
Aw, rotten! Pass that slumpire to the cheaps!
Was that a strike? Oh, say, he makes me sick.
Wow, Birdie, look at that! He's swiped the trick!
Home run for Birdie! say, it's foul. All right, he keeps on sparring. Birdie, he's the stuff that takes.
The chicken pie, but he will get there all the same.
Say, watch him twirl the timber for a clout!
Oh, Birdie, peck me hard! The mutt's struck out.
W. J. LAMPTON.

Nearly everybody in Boston reads the AMERICAN.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Pittsburg	15	12	.556
Chicago	15	12	.556
New York	14	12	.538
Cincinnati	14	14	.500
Brooklyn	11	12	.478
Boston	11	13	.458
St. Louis	11	17	.393
Philadelphia	10	17	.370

TO-DAY'S GAMES.

St. Louis at Boston.
Cincinnati at New York.
Chicago at Philadelphia.
Pittsburg at Brooklyn.

No Sunday games scheduled.

N. E. LEAGUE

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	W.	L.	P.C.
Haverhill	12	5	.706
Lynn	10	6	.625
Fall River	9	8	.529
Worcester	9	8	.529
Brockton	9	9	.500
S. Bedford	8	11	.421
Lawrence	8	11	.353
Lowell	4	13	.235

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

Brockton	0 0 1 3 0 0 0 0 0	5	8
Fall River	0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0	1	4

Batteries—Finkbeiner and Watters; Wormwood and Toomey.

BASEBALL RESULTS IN OTHER LEAGUES

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

St. Paul, 8; Indianapolis, 4 (ten innings).
Kansas City, 7; Columbus, 2.
Louisville, 3; Minneapolis, 2.
Milwaukee, 8; Toledo, 1.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

New Orleans, 6; Montgomery, 4.
Memphis, 7; Birmingham, 1.

STANDING OF THE BOSTON PITCHERS

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Cicotte	4	0	1.000
Steele	2	0	1.000
Wolfer	1	0	1.000
Cheek	1	0	.833
Wood	4	1	.800
Arellanes	1	0	.500

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Perdue	1	0	1.000
Mattern	8	2	.714
Lindeman	1	0	.500
Chapelle	1	1	.500
Dooin	1	2	.333
White	1	2	.333
McCarthy	0	2	.000

The Cubs are wearing the faded and soiled uniforms of last season, evidently considering them to be lucky.

Pessimistic rooters ought not to attend ball games. They are sure to see a defeat, every time. We won't get a single game from those Cubs, if it rains enough.

The members of the "Broken Idol" company were guests of the baseball club, and accepted the courtesy in a body. Manager Carr had a total of 14 players on the field. Good-natured Joe Connolly was among those present. And it was a "Broken Idol" that the fans penned up in the left field bleachers.

If the Boston players can do in the Detroit series as they did in Cleveland there will be no question as to what will happen to the Tigers.

Toronto will be giving the Chicago White Sox a close battle for the premier claim to the title of "Baseball Town" before the season is over. Last night on Terry Doyle's baseball ground, Toronto defeated Buffalo by a score of 7 to 6, in a game that went 13 innings.

Can Buffalo hit? The Bison City papers say it ought be able to, the players say they can and the official scores show that they have batted for a total of 1,000 times.

Rafferty, who played right field for the Cleveland team in 1909, is playing the same field out with Montreal. Manager Carr had a chance to get Rafferty and Cobb were in the same league for two years. Rafferty is drawing $4,000 a month, Cobb's salary that he can outrun Tyrus.

Pat Donahue, the Red Sox backstop, looks so much like his brother "Hugh" on the White Sox that the two are constantly mistaken for each other.

Umpire Tom Connolly is one of the few announcers who do the job right. He reports his decisions in a clear, distinct voice, and does not scream. "Ladies and gentlemen, the batteries for to-day are as follows: To will be, etc." Why can't everybody announce the batteries and call balls or strikes in clarion accents.

STANDING OF TEAMS, AMATEUR LEAGUES

INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
English High	2	0	1.000
Dorchester High	2	0	1.000
Ringe Tech	2	0	1.000
Boston Latin	2	0	1.000
Mass. Agricultural	2	0	1.000
Dorchester High	2	0	1.000
West Roxbury High	2	0	1.000
South Boston High	2	0	.500

BOSTON HIGH SCHOOL LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
English High	2	0	1.000
Boston Latin	2	0	1.000
Mass. Agricultural	2	0	1.000
Dorchester High	2	0	1.000
West Roxbury High	2	0	1.000
South Boston High	2	0	.500

SUBURBAN LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Everett High	1	0	1.000
Malden High	1	0	1.000
Melrose High	1	1	.500
Somerville High	0	1	.000

COMMY'S GREAT INTERVIEW

One of the souvenirs the Sox brought back from California is a "full-page interview"—so it is headed—in a San Francisco newspaper, with Charley Comiskey. As Commy rarely says more than fifty words a week for publication, the interview is, indeed, a great curiosity—until it has been read.

A young woman wrote the interview, which goes something like this:

"How did you happen to go into baseball, Mr. Comiskey?"

Commy: "Let's see, how was it, George?"

And then follows a half-column of Comiskey's early history succinctly given by George Stone, a Chicago newspaper man, who travels with the Sox.

PICKS ROTH AS TOP CATCHER IN BIG LEAGUES

There are few better Judges of ball players in the baseball world than Manager Charles Carr of Indianapolis, who thinks Frank Roth is the best backstop the American Association has sent to the big leagues in a long time. Carr believes "Paddy" Livingston, who did most of the receiving for the Browns in their pennant fight a year ago, is a great catcher, but he hands a much larger mitt to Roth.

Manager Carr said: "I believe Frank Roth, who was with Milwaukee last year, is the best backstop this league has sent to the majors in a long time. There are other good catchers who have been turned out, including Livingston, but Roth is the best of these all.

"The reason I consider Roth so valuable is because he is always willing to take a chance of any kind. He has the nerve to be a great catcher. He never fails to take advantage of a chance to peg a man out at any such time when giving him a good hard working club he will retire many of them before they go around. Roth is a great man to work with pitchers, and he hits. Roth will take a chance to pull off plays where other catchers will refuse those chances. Those chances must be taken in winning baseball games. We lost games last year because Livingston would not take chances. The Reds do not know it, but it is true nevertheless. If Roth had been behind the bat we would have won those games. I do not mean to say, however, that Livingston is not a great catcher. He will be a good man for Philadelphia."

TROUBLE AHEAD FOR ROWDY PLAYERS

NEW YORK, May 17.—Acting President Heydler of the National League has put his foot down on rowdy ball playing. He insists that the rules governing the game be enforced and after a long session with the league umpires instructed them that rowdyism will not be countenanced, and put it up to them to enforce the laws.

Heydler was at the National League headquarters in the St. James Building for more than two hours going over the rules with his referees and telling them to be strict in their enforcement of proper deportment on the field by the players. The umpires were instructed to report immediately any infractions of the code. At the end of the meeting the acting president made this statement:

"The personnel of the National League clubs has reached a high standard, gratifying to the fans in the baseball public and the club owners of this organization, and it is not our intention to allow a few rowdily inclined players to undo the good results achieved."

MEXICANS WANT JEFF-JOHNSON BOUT

MEXICO CITY, May 17.—Americans in this city are organizing to boom the boxing game in Mexico and they hope in time to put up purses to bring Jeffries and Johnson and Jeffries if these two giants are ever matched.

The first big bout which the game has fallen in the United States has inspired the fight fans here to sound out the Mexican authorities as to what sort of a purse would be and it is said they have received high praise for the authorities would offer no interference.

Promoter Thomas J. T. Shipman has been showing the pictures of the Johnson-Jeffries fight and says that such a great bit that the showmen are of the opinion that the real thing would prove a big success.

SKEETS MARTIN TO RIDE SIR MARTIN

"Skeets" Martin, the American jockey, now riding in England, will have the mount of Sir Martin, the colt that Louis Winans bought from John E. Madden last year for $70,000 in the Epsom Derby. Martin rode Sir Martin in his recent victory in England.

"Sir Martin will win the English Derby if he is in perfect physical condition," said Madden. "He is a fast horse of great courage. In addition to this he is one of the truest running horses I ever owned. You may always depend upon him to do his best."

TWO CRANCH A. A. TEAMS.

Manager Bert Dickie of the Cranch A. A. is anxious to inform amateur managers that there are two Cranch A. A. teams, and the one that recently defeated the Cranch A. A. which was defeated Saturday was not the team managed by Bert Dickie.

BACK TO THE MINORS.

NEW ORLEANS, May 17.—"Chick" Fraser, the veteran spit ball pitcher of the Chicago National League Club, has been purchased in a deal between President Frank Lange and Manager Frank Bruggy of the Pelicans. The local manager announces the release of Pitcher Bartley to Atlanta.

BASEBALL NEWS AND NOTES

McAleese, who gets his chance to play with the Browns through the right to Stone, is making the most of it. After 5 games, batting .714, McAleese are on the same team, and both live in Binghamton.

Oakes of the Cincinnati Reds was the first player in either big league to have 100 times at bat this season.

The Cubs are wearing the faded and soiled uniforms of last season, evidently considering them to be lucky.

Pessimistic rooters ought not to attend ball games. They are sure to see a defeat, every time. We won't get a single game from those Cubs, if it rains enough.

The members of the "Broken Idol" company were guests of baseball clubs, and accepted the courtesy in a body. Manager Carr had a total of 14 players on the field. Good-natured Joe Connolly was among those present. And it was a "Broken Idol" that the fans penned up in the left field bleachers.

If the Boston players can do in the Detroit series as they did in Cleveland there will be no question as to what will happen to the Tigers.

Toronto will be giving the Chicago White Sox a close battle for the premier claim to the title of "Baseball Town" before the season is over. Last night on Terry Doyle's baseball ground, Toronto defeated Buffalo by a score of 7 to 6, in a game that went 13 innings.

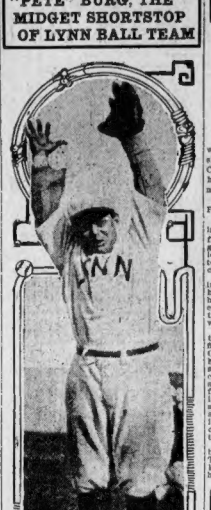
Can Buffalo hit? The Bison City papers say it ought be able to, the players say they can and the official scores show that they have batted for a total of 1,000 times.

Rafferty, who played right field for the Cleveland team in 1909, is playing the same field out with Montreal. Manager Carr had a chance to get Rafferty and Cobb were in the same league for two years. Rafferty is drawing $4,000 a month, Cobb's salary that he can outrun Tyrus.

Pat Donahue, the Red Sox backstop, looks so much like his brother "Hugh" on the White Sox that the two are constantly mistaken for each other.

Umpire Tom Connolly is one of the few announcers who do the job right. He reports his decisions in a clear, distinct voice, and does not scream. "Ladies and gentlemen, the batteries for to-day are as follows: To will be, etc." Why can't everybody announce the batteries and call balls or strikes in clarion accents.

"PETE" BURG, THE MIDGET SHORTSTOP OF LYNN BALL TEAM



"Pete" Burg, Lynn's pigmy shortstop, is the smallest baseball player working in organized ball in the country. He was born in Chicago twenty-six years ago. He stands five feet two inches and weighs 140 pounds.

His work with the Lynn club so far this season has put him prominently in the limelight and he bids fair now to be the sensation of the New England League this season.

He is very fast on his feet, has a fine whip and is coming strong with the bat.

Burg was drafted by the Lynn club from Kewanee, Ill., in the Central Association League, a class C outfit. There he was the leading shortstop, playing 125 games, hitting for .287 and fielding for .931. He looked good and Manager Hamilton, of the Lynn club, jumped at the chance to get him.

Pete says he the smallest of his family and that both his father and mother and his two brothers are better than medium height. From a kid up he's been playing ball with grown up men and previous to his getting into organized baseball four years ago he was the idol of the sandlaps in the Windy City.

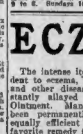
For several years he played independent baseball in Chicago. It was from one of these that he was picked up by the Central League.

GYMNASTIC DISPLAY.

The third annual gymnastic exhibition and dance of the Holy Trinity Athletic Association will be given Wednesday night in Casino Hall, No. 138 Shawmut avenue, for the benefit of the Holy Trinity Church.

The exhibition will begin at 8 p. m. Dancing will follow.

The officers of the association are: Martin A. Lorenzo, president; Charles H. Hoerth, vice-president; Fred A. Freier, secretary, and George A. Stokinger, treasurer.


All Acute and Chronic Diseases of the Young, Middle-aged or Old
HEAL THYSELF
PEABODY MEDICAL INSTITUTE

MONTE CROSS OUT, BECKLEY TAKES PLACE

Jake Beckley, veteran first baseman, will to-day succeed Monte Cross, premier short stop, as manager of Kansas City. Cross will be unconditionally released. He has been drawing a salary of $700 a month.

Speaking of the change in the team, President Tebeau said:

"I have decided that Monte Cross is lacking in managerial experience. The fans want a change and I am going to give them the man they want—Jake Beckley. I believe the fans will root for the team with Fighting Jake in charge of the club.

"As a player, Cross is one of the best in the league. I like Cross personally and hate to make the change, but I have tried him now for more than a year and at the expense of the fans. It is certainly that the club cannot lose any more games with him out of it."

Monte Cross has been in charge of the team for more than a year. The team finished in seventh place a year ago and Cross came back this year stating that he had learned a great deal in his first year as manager of the club and believed he could give Kansas City fans a winner this season. The team has been playing now for a month and it looks as though it is in the same old rut that it was in a year ago at this time. It is weak in slick plays and a little better fighting spirit will put it much higher. The material is with the club if Beckley can get it to work out of the material.

Jake Beckley has been playing league baseball for more than twenty years. There is not a man in the game who knows the game better than he does and he knows how to put runs over the plates.

PUTS BAN ON ROWDY BALL

NEW YORK, May 17.—The suppression of rowdyism on the field and a strict enforcement of rules throughout the season, were two points brought out with emphasis by Acting President John Heydler of the National League, at a conference with the eight umpires of his organization, held in New York.

It was decided at the meeting to follow the action taken by the American League last year, barring a player from the field for the entire day in the event of his being ordered from the first game of a double-header.

Third Baseman Edgar Lenox of Brooklyn, and William Gleason of Philadelphia, who were indefinitely suspended last Tuesday for participating in a row on the Brooklyn grounds, were reinstated. They will be allowed to resume play to-day.

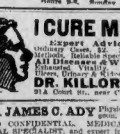
In view of the low level of some players' baseball intelligence, notably in the case at Philadelphia, it was decided to promulgate a number of severe cases where a thrown ball goes to such depressions. To offset the danger in permitting such a ball, only two bases will be allowed, a regulation which is enforced in the ground rules in the case of low grandstands as at Boston.

BILLY PAPKE WANTS MATCH IN THE EAST

NEW YORK, May 17.—Ed Papke, brother and manager of Billy, has written to Tex Rickard asking for a match here in New York. Papke claims the middleweight championship, now that Ketchell has gone to the heavyweight ranks, and contends that Papke is most desirous of taking Ketchell on in a ten-round bout in the East.

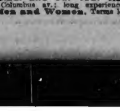
MIDDIES MAKE BIG BET.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., May 17.—A check for $2,000 has been received from the Army cadets as their bet on the West Point team in the annual baseball game with the midshipmen, which will be played here Tuesday, May 20. It is the customary pool among the members of the brigade of midshipmen, the amount is said to have been a little over-subscribed and the wager was covered at once.

Dr. Hallock's

Famous Remedies
CURE TO STAY CURED
All Diseases and Weaknesses of Men

Expert specialists, oldest in years, largest in experience and most successful in cures. Cures guaranteed from first dose; strong, nervous debility, sexual weakness, lost manhood, night losses, drains, unnatural discharges, stricture, varicocele, sore, weak back, blood poison, ulcers or sores on the body, skin diseases, rupture, kidney and bladder complaints. Skin disease cured to stay cured. Offices open daily and evenings. Consultation free. Cures of chronic and difficult cases. Write symptoms if you cannot call. Medicines sent everywhere, free from observation. Hours 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. Sundays, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Medicines sent by mail, free from observation. Call or write to-day.

DR. HALLOCK CO.
114 Court St., Boston, Mass.
Office hours for 20 years at the same old stand, Court and Stoddard streets. Oldest and most reliable in the country.

DR. ROTHFUCHS

Wind, Heavenly Medicine Removes, Specialties in men and women; diseases and weaknesses. Cures to stay cured. Blood Poisoning, Nervous Debility, Urinary Diseases, Stricture, Varicocele, Piles, Rupture, Kidney and Bladder Troubles. Consultation free. Hours 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. Sundays 10 to 1. 3 Boylston St., Boston.

I CURE MEN. $2
Expert Advice Free
Ordinary Cases, $2. Complicated Cases, $5. Reliable Specialist. No pain. All Diseases and Weaknesses. Lost Manhood, Vitality, Blood Poison, Kidney and Bladder Troubles. What's the matter? Don't delay. Cure guaranteed. DR. KILLORY Room 153 214 Court St., near Cambridge.

DR. JAMES C. ADY Physician and Specialist. FREE AND CONFIDENTIAL. MEDICAL AND SURGICAL SPECIALIST, and expert in all acute and chronic diseases of MEN AND WOMEN. Blood Diseases, Nervous Debility and Weaknesses, Tumors, Abscess of Breasts, Skin Eruptions, Ulcers, Piles, Rheumatism, Urinary Diseases, etc. Hours 10-5. Sunday, 10-6. 90 Berkeley St., Boston.

Medical and Surgical SPECIALIST FREE
614 Columbus Av. Specialist in all diseases of Men and Women. Terms low. Hrs. 10-5.

ECZEMA

The intense itching and smarting incident to eczema, tetter, salt rheum, blotches and other diseases of the skin are instantly allayed by applying my Skin Ointment. Many very bad cases have been permanently cured by it. It is equally efficient for itching piles and a favorite remedy for sore nipples.

Don't give up hope—Come and see me at once. Advice free.

Dr. Joseph Grady
238 Tremont St., Boston.
Hrs. 10-12, 2-6, 7-8. Sun., 10-12

LANGFORD ASKED TO FIGHT PAPKE IN SAN FRANCISCO

BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS

MANY AMATEUR TEAMS SEEK GAMES THROUGH AMERICAN

Mutt Turns Actor and Gets an Engagement at Keith's.

LANGFORD TO BE MATCHED WITH PAPKE

SAN FRANCISCO, May 17.—If the plans of Promoter James Coffroth are fulfilled, the fight fans in San Francisco will see a Papke-Langford fight on July 5, which is the official date this year of the national holiday.

The owner of the Mission-street arena, has already started things going by offering Papke $10,000 for his share and today he will cable to Joe Woodman, manager of Langford in London, that the Boston negro can get $5,000 if he will meet the Kewanee fighter in the Mission-street arena.

Papke made no comment of Coffroth's offer. He did not declare himself and is probably waiting to find out how the offer strikes Langford before he says anything.

Mike Twin Sullivan, who is matched to fight Kyle Whitney before the Mission club this month, arrived here yesterday and immediately betook himself to the Rafael, where he will go into training today, using Billy Shannon as a sparring partner. Shannon is accompanied by his brother Jack "Twin," who will supervise the conditioning.

The side bet offered by Dawson, manager of Whitney, of $1,000, was promptly covered by the Twins, and it is understood that the Sullivans will each stand half of the loss if Mike is licked.

KETCHEL WILL HOLD TITLE

NEW YORK, May 17.—When Stanley Ketchel, the present holder of the middleweight title, was informed that Papke had won in a little over one minute of fighting, he was a bit surprised at first, and then said: "It was just like him to win like that, and now that the first surprise is over, I really thought he'd win that way at all. He's a bear if he cops you one in the first round, and he's the same way the first time that I ever lost.

"Kelly should have been prepared for that rush. It wasn't as though he was fighting him for the first time. He should have been on the lookout. It's the best thing on the Thunderbolt does, you know.

"Will I make the weight again and fight him? Sure. But they needn't show me the money. No more of the $6,000 thing to make it at night, but it must be for money, or I don't go. I'm not in the fight game for money no matter what Mr. Papke thinks."

Boxing Bouts for the Week

TO-NIGHT.

Eddie Walsh vs. Fred Corbett, Brooklyn.
Joe Crane vs. Tom Crawford, Philadelphia.
Young Jones vs. Jack Hamilton, Philadelphia.
Mike Donovan vs. Ed Smith, Columbus, O.
Young Nelson vs. Harry Stanton, New York.
Young Goodman vs. Young Chevrolet, Memphis.
Kid Brooks vs. Dick Rosebud, Philadelphia.
John Wilson vs. Unknown, Brooklyn.
Young Gleason vs. Terry Fitzgerald, Orange, N. J.

TUESDAY.

Tommy Clabby vs. Jack Quill (12 rounds), with eight-round preliminaries between Young Jack Johnson vs. Billy Gilbert, Philadelphia; Tommy Furey, Armory A., Brooklyn.
Young Sandow vs. Young Gleason, Philadelphia.
Tim Russell vs. Bill Herman, Philadelphia.
Young Parker vs. Harry Morgan, New York.
Tommy Dawson vs. Harry Allen, Montreal.

WEDNESDAY.

Jack Johnson vs. Jack O'Brien, Philadelphia.

THURSDAY.

Open classes and three special bouts, amateur boxing, Armory A., Brooklyn.
Johnny Coulon vs. Jack Phenice, Johnstown, Pa.
Tommy Ford vs. Hallor Collins, Waterbury, Ct.
Mike Donovan vs. Young Gleason, Memphis.

FRIDAY.

Frank Mantell vs. Frank Barfield, Sacramento, Cal.
Walter Frodge, Welsh or Johnny Marto vs. Jack Goodman, New York.
Young Ford vs. Tommy A. C., Boston.
Young Fred Corbett vs. Young Hitchin, Young, Philadelphia.

SATURDAY.

Sandy Ferguson vs. Joe Jeanette, Paris.
Jerry Mesdill vs. Joe Gans, Cleveland, Pennsylvania.
Young Denlin vs. Phil Kaight, New Orleans.

LARGEST CONTRACT KNOWN

News of the largest contract for automobiles ever made in the history of the industry reaps out when R. E. Olds, president of the Reo Motor Car Company announced the details of an agreement for the selling of Reo cars just closed with R. M. Owen & Co. The deal involves the marketing of $50,000,000 worth of automobiles.

Since the organization of the Reo Motor Car Company in 1904, R. W. Owen & Co. have sold their product under conditions that have long very satisfactory to all concerned. Under the new contract, the same relation continues between R. M. Owen & Co. and the manufacturers of the Reo car that has heretofore existed.

The Connoisseur EATS AT Hotel Epicure
27-28 Hayward Place . . Hayd R. Genaud
Late Louis Cerbi Manager

Amateur Teams Want Games

The Monument A. C. of South Boston would like to arrange games with some of the fasting fourteen to fifteen-year-old teams in the state. Half expenses given. C. Bennett, No. 203 Pearl street, Everett.

The Volunteers of Waltham would like to arrange games with some fast teams for May 29 and 31 away from home. W. Mar, Lowell street.

The Harvards of Dorchester would like to hear from fifteen to sixteen-year-old teams, for May 22 around Boston. A. F. Christensen, No. 6 Hill street.

The Lincolns of Roxbury would like to arrange games for Sundays during June and around Boston. Coast date for May 29, June 5, 12, 19, 26. H. McNamara, No. 6 Brooks' Park Drive.

The Hillsides of Winthrop would like to arrange games with seventeen to eighteen-year-old teams for May 29 and June 5. Arthur Smith, No. 235 Shirley Drive.

The Hillside A. C. of Beachmont would like to arrange games with fifteen to sixteen-year-old teams in the State. Bigleys of Quincy preferred. Open date May 22. June and July, D. McDougall, No. 8 Hill View road.

The Central A. C. of Somerville would like to arrange games with town fast eighteen-year-old team for May 31. Reasonable expenses expected. R. L. Hagan, No. 466 Medford street.

The Neaman, Dow & Co. team would like to arrange games for Saturdays during June and August. C. A. Good, telephone 1482 Richmond.

The Bryants of West Quincy would like to arrange games with fifteen-year-old teams from home. Frank J. Conoin, No. 12 Lincoln street, Boston. Telephone Oxford 3033.

The Dexes of City Point would like to arrange games for Saturdays during September and October. Twin is accompanied by his brother Jack "Twin," who will supervise the conditioning.

The side bet offered by Dawson, manager of Whitney, of $1,000, was promptly covered by the Twins, and it is understood that the Sullivans will each stand half of the loss if Mike is licked.

The Hillside A. C. of Beachmont would like to arrange games with fifteen to sixteen-year-old teams in the State. Bigleys of Quincy preferred. Open date May 22. June and July, D. McDougall, No. 8 Hill View road.

The Central A. C. of Somerville would like to arrange games with town fast eighteen-year-old team for May 31. Reasonable expenses expected. R. L. Hagan, No. 466 Medford street.

The Neaman, Dow & Co. team would like to arrange games for Saturdays during June and August. C. A. Good, telephone 1482 Richmond.

The Bryants of West Quincy would like to arrange games with fifteen-year-old teams from home. Frank J. Conoin, No. 12 Lincoln street, Boston. Telephone Oxford 3033.

The Dexes of City Point would like to arrange games for Saturdays during September and October. Twin is accompanied by his brother Jack "Twin," who will supervise the conditioning.

The side bet offered by Dawson, manager of Whitney, of $1,000, was promptly covered by the Twins, and it is understood that the Sullivans will each stand half of the loss if Mike is licked.

The Hillsides of Winthrop would like to arrange games with seventeen to eighteen-year-old teams for May 29 and June 5. Arthur Smith, No. 235 Shirley Drive

BOSTON SOCIETY
By Elizabeth Elliott

With society so continually on the wing there is little diversion for the small number of fashionables left in town save the dining of departing friends and the preparations for June bridals. Mrs. William M. Sands of Commonwealth avenue, with Miss Gertrude Sands, and her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dunlay, are sailing for Europe early this week to be gone the greater part of the Summer. Mrs. Edgar Harding of Beacon street, with her young son, Marmion Harding, will shortly sail for Europe to spend the Summer motoring on the continent. Last year Mrs. Harding spent the Summer at Woods Hole.

* * *

Mrs. George Agnus L. Meyer and her daughters, after a few days' visit in New York, sailed from there Saturday for Europe. They will spend the greater part of the short visit in Italy and Berlin. They will make only a short visit in Rome, as they plan to spend the midsummer at the Hamilton home.

* * *

Mrs. J. Montgomery Sears, with her attractive daughter Helen and her most intimate girl chum, Katherine Warren, who went abroad in the Autumn shortly after the tragic death of the son of the house, Montgomery Sears, jr., are planning to sail for home the second day of June, to be on hand for the wedding on June 13 of Miss Warren's brother, Samuel Warren, jr., and Miss Helen Thomas, which is to take place at the Thomas villa at Pride's Crossing.

* * *

Most interesting among the late bridal couples to return from their honeymoon are Mr. and Mrs. John Gardner Coolidge, who have been, since their marriage a couple of weeks ago, at the J. Randolph Coolidge cottage at Smith's Point. Mrs. Coolidge before her marriage was Miss Helen Stevens.

* * *

Society has already heard the call of the beautiful North Shore, as is evident in the large number of prominent folk who are opening up their cottages there. I learned to-day that Mrs. Edmund J. Shattuck of Norwood is at the cottage at Coolidge's Point occupied for the past few seasons by Baron Rosen, the Russian Ambassador. With her are the Misses Shattuck. The Castelle C. Converses of Malden have leased the Shaw cottage at Magnolia.

Others who have left town are Mrs. E. A. Whipple and son, who are at West Manchester; the Percival Lombards, who have the Winch cottage on Blossom lane, near Singing Beach; Mr. and Mrs. Stephen W. H. Crosby, who have just opened their pretty cottage at West Manchester; the Charles T. Dudelows of Brookline, who are at the Emerson cottage, Magnolia; Mrs. H. M. Curry and family of Pittsburg, who have a new cottage at Magnolia; Mrs. Martha S. Jones of this city, who has leased the Covel cottage at Magnolia, and Mrs. R. M. St. Clair, who has the James Lee cottage at Magnolia.

* * *

I notice that the patronesses for the Cafe Chautant to be given in Copley Hall on Thursday by the Professional Women's Club for its club house fund, are hard at work on the plans for the affair. The patronesses are Mrs. J. Arthur Beebe, Mrs. Julia Ward Howe, Mrs. David P. Kimball, Mrs. Edgar Champlin, Mrs. W. Taggart Piper, Mrs. Roger Wolcott, Mrs. Lucius Manlius Sargent, Mrs. W. A. Mowry, Mrs. Benjamin F. Pittman, Mrs. Cari Dreyfus, Mrs. Francis Lee Higginson, Mrs. Ellen F. Mason, Mrs. Lars Anderson, Mrs. John Chipman Gray, Mrs. F. N. Sears, Miss Clara Endicott Sears and Mrs. I. Tuckerman Burr. Mrs. Helen M. Winslow is chairman of the committee. I understand that "The Real Thing," a play by John Kendrick Bangs, which is to be presented, is a rare treat.

* * *

The patronesses for the annual assembly of the Sinfonia Fraternity, Alpha Chapter, of the New England Conservatory of Music, at Howe Hall, to-morrow evening, are Mrs. Eben D. Jordan, Mrs. Wallace Goodrich, Mrs. Ralph L. Flanders, Mrs. Robert S. Russell, Mrs. George S. Winslow, Mrs. William B. Tyler, Mrs. Theodor Loring, Mrs. Albert Thorndike, Mrs. Langdon Frothingham, Mrs. W. A. L. Baxley.

* * *

The ten of the literary and entertainment committee of the Woman's Charity Club at the Vendome, a week from the coming Thursday, will undoubtedly prove to be a most pleasing affair. The Misses Beatey will assist in the entertainment, and members of the Melrose Highland's Woman's Club will present that invigorating farce, "The Kleptomaniacs."

* * *

Another of the debutantes of last season has set the date for her marriage. This time it is that exceptionally clever and versatile girl, Grace Hinckley, who has set June 9 for her marriage to Edward Sohier, which will take place at C. Welch. Indications are that the affair will be a brilliant event.

* * *

The J. Arthur Brooks left town to-day for New York, where they sail tomorrow on a two months' trip abroad. They will be back in time to enjoy the delightful autumnal months at their pretty Summer home at their North Shore cottage.

* * *

Philip French and Pliny Howell, 2d, are ushers at the wedding in New York to-day of Josephine Ogden and Pierpont Davis at the Church of the Incarnation. I understand that quite a number of Boston guests are also over to the brilliant event.

* * *

Miss Elizabeth Loring, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanton D. Loring of No. 120 Marlboro street, and Theodor Lee, also of Newton, are to be married Saturday afternoon.

* * *

A very pretty wedding is scheduled in Cincinnati on June 13, when Dr. Chandler Robbins of Boston and Miss Laura Lee Hall, Miss Laura Foster of that city. The ushers will be Dr. Robbins, Irving Lee and Dr. Wyman Whittemore.

* * *

Professor Alexander Agassiz is to leave town on Wednesday and spend the coming two months at his villa at Castle Hill, Newport.

* * *

The Secretary of Commerce and Labor and Mrs. Nagel will spend the Summer at Marion. They have leased the Wharton cottage on Front street, the Cushman avenue, Washington, as their town home.

* * *

Late Boston arrivals in Newport are Miss N. L. Greenleaf, who has rented the Everett cottage; Mrs. Charles Whitney Hille, Worcester; Professor and Mrs. Frank Robb and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur B. Emmons.

If Paris Lived To-day — By Nell Brinkley
Would He Give the Apple "For the Fairest" to This Generous, Sweet-Tempered Chatterbox?

"Her nose is a crooked, turn-up nose, sassy and senseless—and she has a dimple."

PARIS slumped down at the mossed-over roots of the pine that grass out at the sea from the cliff top of the steep little slope, and rumpled up his ribbon fillet behind in the fashion that a Bitty does his hat. And so he babbled, chewing early grass:

"I saw her on the beach to-day. So early—yes, I did! Coming out of that shivering water, loping along lightly on her black silk feet, dripping and giggling.

"We hadn't her kind when I piped and herded on the hills near Troy. They were straight-nosed, deep-throated, jawless. But this kind—you have it all over!

"And I wonder that she can be beautiful—for her nose isn't at all with her mouth, and her chin doesn't fit her forehead, and her eyes don't match any of those things, according to my diagram of symmetry—but, lo, you!—she is exquisite, good, seeing her and smelling at her kind nose and sassiness and sweetness, chipped a little bit for themselves out of the apple of her cheek.

"I don't know—they saw her trotting along on her black feet—dripping and laughing, with her black hair like wet silk. I don't know—but she is a chatterbox—generous—sweet tempered—a bit witty—kind as the south wind—as shy as a fawn—talking to the woman in our house—blowing the door on me and talking to her! Deliberately! I walked to the door and *listened*. I would know—I had a right to know.

"Temperature 1027 is the doctor there now. Why did you not send for me before? Yes, at once. Tell her I am coming at once.

"I made no attempt to slip away. I was leaning against the door when he opened it. For a second he stood motionless, then:

"You have listened?"

"Yes."

"I am sorry you did that," he said quietly, as he passed me up his way on stairs.

I caught his arm. "If I have listened, it is you who have driven me to it."

He made no answer; he merely released his arm and went on upstairs. In a few minutes he came down with his hat and coat. I was still waiting where he had left me in the hall. Again I caught his arm.

"You are not going to that woman tonight!"

"Mary, I am sorry you are doing this; it is only humiliating to us both."

Even in this dim light of to hall I could see he was very pale.

"You are not going to that woman tonight!"

He passed on down the hall to the front door. I was ahead of him and stood before the door, my hand on the lock.

"Horace, if you go to that woman tonight I shall not be here when you come back!"

"You must do as you think best." He put me gently aside, opened the door and closed it after him.

* * *

December 1st.

IF I could know just what I wrote—if I could remember the exact words! But I was almost crazed that night. I only know that I left a note, a bitter, passionate note—saying that I was going away and would never come back until he had unconditionally that he would never see that woman again.

I did not wish him to know or try to find out where I was, but that my letter addressed to Mrs. R. L. Kempton, General Delivery, I would receive. But not to write unless it was to make the promise I demanded. I think that was all I said, but I do not know how I said it.

Oh, why did I say he must not write unless he made that promise? If I had not said that he might have written something—anything, that would have made it possible for me to go back. I know now I would go back under any pretext.

Those five days have beaten me down —failing.

If he would only write and make the promise—even though he broke it the next day. If I can only go back. I will be humiliated; I will make no complaints, no reproaches. I will be so little —so much less than I have ever asked before. I will accept any condition if only I can be with him.

* * *

December 2d.

FOR the sixth time in these four years I have gone over to New York to the city postoffice, to the window marked "General Delivery," and have asked if there is anything for Mrs. R. L. Kempton, and always the same answer: "Nothing!"

And so will am back in Brooklyn, in my hotel room, waiting, waiting for what?

For the morning, when I will again go over to that postoffice and again be told "Nothing!"

What have I done? If he should never answer that letter—if he should never go to find me!

For the first two days my fierce pride and bitterness kept me up. But now—now I am terrified at what I have done. I could have stayed—I could have seen him. I could have made him see I would have been with him at breakfast, and many times at dinner.

I could have had all his things about me, I could have listened to his stories to touch—to bury my face against! But now I have nothing—nothing!

How long can I live like this?

(To be continued to-morrow).

THE JOURNAL OF A NEGLECTED WIFE

By MABEL HERBERT URNER.

Copyright, 1909, by R. W. Dodge & Co.

CHAPTER X.

Hotel, Brooklyn, Nov. 29.

CHERELESS hotel room, a bed, a table, a stationary washstand, three chairs, a telephone on the wall and a card of hotel laws and regulations on the back of the door.

My silver brushes on the bureau, and my suit-case on a chair—how strangely unfamiliar they look!

For two days they have been there—and yet——. I cannot put it into words —I only know that often in these two days I have opened a towel over the bureau and have held the suit-case in the wardrobe.

And then there is nothing in sight that recalls. Nothing except the telephone. That is just the same—even the same green book hangs beneath it. By taking down that receiver and whispering a number—at any moment—I could. But not so! I shall go mad if I think of that. For two days I have been fighting that thought.

Why did I bring with me this journal? If I must write—if the only relief I know is writing my suffering and wrong—would it not have been better to have begun anew?

Why did I put in my suit-case this record of the life I was leaving?

The very cover of the book, even the feel of the soft leather, brings back my desk together—the gift that instant, the blotting pad, the silver paper knife, the tiny revolving calendar, the address book —are they still lying carelessly as I left them, or are they all been locked away?

I can almost hear the ticking of my small French desk clock.

Will I ever hear it again? Will I ever take it from its case and wind it, as I have so many hundred times? am praying that I will—that I will! Only let God know—only God! how I want to go back!

November 30.

THAT night—the events that at last drove me from my home!

For two days and nights I have walked up and down this room, lifting it over and over, always with the anguished question—how could I have stayed? Was there any way I could have kept any remnant of my self-respect and still have stayed?

Why did I not—why did I not listen? Never before have I stooped to "entertaining a third party" by the door. Why did I then?

We were at dinner when the telephone rang. Horace dropped his napkin and hurried out to the library.

There was something so tense, so anxious in his manner, and he had been so silent and pre-occupied all through the dinner.

Was he expecting this message? Was it from her?

I rose from the table and went half way to the library door. I could see the library door. It was closed.

Then—something in the sight of that closed door that sent the fierce hot blood surging through me.

I was talking to the woman in our house—blowing the door on me and talking to her! Deliberately! I walked to the door and *listened*. I would know—I had a right to know.

"Temperature 1027 Is the doctor there now? Why did you not send for me before? Yes, at once. Tell her I am coming at once."

I made no attempt to slip away. I was leaning against the door when he opened it. For a second he stood motionless, then:

"You have listened?"

"Yes."

"I am sorry you did that," he said quietly, as he passed me up his way on stairs.

I caught his arm. "If I have listened, it is you who have driven me to it."

He made no answer; he merely released his arm and went on upstairs. In a few minutes he came down with his hat and coat. I was still waiting where he had left me in the hall. Again I caught his arm.

"You are not going to that woman tonight!"

"Mary, I am sorry you are doing this; it is only humiliating to us both."

Even in this dim light of to hall I could see he was very pale.

"You are not going to that woman tonight!"

He passed on down the hall to the front door. I was ahead of him and stood before the door, my hand on the lock.

"Horace, if you go to that woman tonight I shall not be here when you come back!"

"You must do as you think best." He put me gently aside, opened the door and closed it after him.

* * *

December 1st.

IF I could know just what I wrote—if I could remember the exact words! But I was almost crazed that night. I only know that I left a note, a bitter, passionate note—saying that I was going away and would never come back until he had unconditionally that he would never see that woman again.

I did not wish him to know or try to find out where I was, but that my letter addressed to Mrs. R. L. Kempton, General Delivery, I would receive. But not to write unless it was to make the promise I demanded. I think that was all I said, but I do not know how I said it.

Oh, why did I say he must not write unless he made that promise? If I had not said that he might have written something—anything, that would have made it possible for me to go back. I know now I would go back under any pretext.

Those five days have beaten me down —failing.

If he would only write and make the promise—even though he broke it the next day. If I can only go back. I will be humiliated; I will make no complaints, no reproaches. I will be so little —so much less than I have ever asked before. I will accept any condition if only I can be with him.

* * *

December 2d.

FOR the sixth time in these four years I have gone over to New York to the city postoffice, to the window marked "General Delivery," and have asked if there is anything for Mrs. R. L. Kempton, and always the same answer: "Nothing!"

And so will am back in Brooklyn, in my hotel room, waiting, waiting for what?

For the morning, when I will again go over to that postoffice and again be told "Nothing!"

What have I done? If he should never answer that letter—if he should never go to find me!

For the first two days my fierce pride and bitterness kept me up. But now—now I am terrified at what I have done. I could have stayed—I could have seen him. I could have made him see I would have been with him at breakfast, and many times at dinner.

I could have had all his things about me, I could have listened to his stories to touch—to bury my face against! But now I have nothing—nothing!

How long can I live like this?

(To be continued to-morrow).

The Things We Quarrel About

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

MOST of us are so constituted that it is the little annoyances of life that disturb us, rather than the big ones. We can love a person in spite of his faults, but our love will not survive numerous little irritating faults.

A man may steal, lie, forge and even worse, and his wife still love him; but if he nags or finds fault or is stingy, or even sniffs in a constant, annoying manner, it kills her love.

I remember a bride once telling me she thought she would go crazy if her husband did not stop clearing his throat at the breakfast table.

"It seems so silly of me," she confessed, "but that little cough or his is driving me to distraction. I even begin to feel that I do not love him as much as I thought I did. It is on my nerves, I suppose."

And that is just what the little faults do —they get on our nerves. We ought to be big enough to rise superior to such trivialities, but we are not, that's the truth of it.

Young people who really love each other often disagree over the merest trifles.

Little Things Magnified

Of course, they don't regard them as trifles; they regard them as the biggest, most important causes on earth, and they think the whole world should stand still because of a letter unanswered for twenty-four hours, or because the girl has spoken civilly to some other man, or the man has asked some other girl to dance.

But, my dear young people, the world—though it lends a kindly eye and ear to your romance—is not going to put itself out one least little bit on your account.

You must take care of your little quarrels, and the best way to avoid them is not to make them in the first place.

I suppose you think you are soothers at this and say, "Pretty advice from one who is supposed to help us out of our troubles."

Well, I am always ready and glad to help in any way that I can, but nevertheless it would be better if you did not have the troubles, wouldn't it?

You have been brought up in different surroundings, with different opinions and ideas, so, naturally, you cannot always agree, but you can be patient and tolerant, can't you?

If you quarrel while you are engaged you will be sure to do so after marriage.

Remember that before marriage both man and girl are on their best behavior, and that is because they are not quite sure of each other.

After Marriage Faults Come Out

After marriage they are sure, though they should not be, and so they relax and display faults and characteristics that heretofore have been carefully hidden.

Most of the virtues are known before marriage and few of the faults. In reality, it should be just the other way.

The time of engagement is short, but marriage, as a rule, is lifelong, and for that reason patience and forbearance are necessary to its happiness.

The most trifling irritations that at first seem almost unendurable must be lived down.

If you can only manage to keep your temper and control your tongue, you will find that after a time the irritation lessens, and you can tolerate the annoying qualities, even though you may not like them any better.

There is no use in marrying at all unless you can make up your mind to be patient with each other's faults for no one is free from certain little trying characteristics.

For the sake of the many joys that your love brings you you must bear with the small shadows and cheerfully resign yourself to making the best of them.

Advice to the Lovelorn

GET A JOB FIRST

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I am engaged to a young man and have been keeping steady company with him for the past three years. For two months he has not been working and now he tells me about high time that I got married. She does not seem to realize, if we get married while he is not working, how poor we would be for us both.

HEART-BROKEN CARRIE.

DO not think of marrying until the young man finds a position. Three years is a long engagement and I think he should make a strong effort to find work. You had better tell him what your mother says and that you will not consent until he is in a position to support you. That may stir him up.

THE BEST MAN WINS.

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I am a young man twenty-one years old, and dearly love a girl of nineteen, who likes me better than any one does any one else except a friend of mine. The latter is earning $30 a week, while I am earning only $16. He can provide a better home for her than I can. He has told me that he will propose to the girl shortly. Do you think I should let him propose first or not? I think that the girl will be equally happy with him, but I can never be happy without her.

O. O'B.

I SEE no reason why you should not both try your luck. It may be that she likes you better than she does him, and if so you will be the one to win her heart. If, on the other hand, she likes your friend the best, he will be the lucky man. Which ever man wins, the only honorable course for the other man to follow will be to accept defeat in a good spirit and leave the field to the successful suitor.

DOES NOT IMPROVE LOOKS

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I am going with a young lady, and have taken her out on several occasions, and am beginning to think a great deal of her, and know that she has already received presents. She is one fault I find with her; she has a beautiful head of hair, but it is bleached. I do not think it is right in any girl to do this thing, for, of course, but am in love so deeply with the young lady I think that I could overlook that if she could give me an excuse.

OSCAR T.

IF she has beautiful hair it is a great pity that she should spoil it by artificial means. No one is deceived by such methods; it is always most apparent that the hair is not natural, and it is never becoming. Nature says to that one has and coloring which best match go together, and any change will improve on it. Tell her what you think about it, and perhaps she will take your advice.

DO NOTHING HASTILY

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I am a young girl and have been keeping company with a young man for about six months. I am deeply in love with this man and always had the attentions of some girl friend just quietly stop going with him. Do nothing to make him think you are jealous.

NOT NECESSARY

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

Will you kindly inform me on the following?

I am a cashier in a wholesale house, and very often some of my family will stop in to see me—for instance, my mother—and perchance stay a half hour, and if it should be a holiday, witness the parade from our windows. Now, what I would like to know is, does etiquette demand that I should introduce the salesmen, etc., or is it not necessary in business?

VIRGINIA.

IT is not necessary to introduce your family to your fellow clerks, but if you wish to there is no harm in your doing so. If I were you I would not encourage your family or friends to call on you during business hours. Your time belongs to your employer and should not be wasted.

Little Bobbie's Pa

By WILLIAM F. KIRK

CHARE was trubbel up to our house last nite about a piano, the piano was in the flat right over our flat, & the lady was all the time playing. Wen Pa come he had a bad ake. & his eyes looked heavy.

Poor deer, sed Ma. Poor, darling boy. How bard you do work, Ma sed, & how few troughts I give to yure silent hours of faithful endever down in that horrid offis. I called you up to-day, wen I was feeling sorry for you, & they sed you had just went out, but that you wud be rite back.

My poor darling, sed Ma, you must talk a long time over the sum of these days. It must be a terrbul strain on you, this non-stant thought.

Pa looked at Ma kind of funny. Pa leant back & hearing Ma talk that way & he kep looking at her.

Do you mean it sed Pa, Sa-sily.

Of course I mean it, sed Ma. Deer knight wich calm & took me off to this enchanted palace, yure welfare is ever first in my thoughts.

Bless yure deer tired eyes, sed Ma. I wish that terribul piano up stares wud stop pounding sumtime, & give you a chanz to rest. I knew wen that yung hussy moved in that we wud have no peace or quiet.

Is she a yung hussy? asked Pa. She is, sed Ma. A yung Pa asked. Well, sed Ma, she is passed the broiler age, but she is reeching a age of her girlish buty. Why do you ask? Ma sed.

Never mind, sed Pa. I am going up stares to interrogait her about why she leaves herself play the piany at si hours of the nite. I wnddent care so much, sed Pa, if she played the old classick peces, like Liszt's Rap-sodas or Ime afrade to go hoem in the Twilight, but if she is disturbing yung wife I want to know it & at once. The worst thing that she plays, sed Ma, with grit on my nerves, is I love you as I Never Loved Beefore. I ain't vary keen for that kind of rapsody, sed Ma, & I wish she wud cut it out.

Did she sing that awful ballad? sed Pa. That old chestnut? Wait til I go up stares & ree-buke her about it.

In the first plais, Pa sed, it is not a good lyrick. That stuff about lilacs first I met you in the village green is a rank apeeal to the mushy side of the hart & brane, Pa sed, & that like Cum to me luv, or Luve sweet dream is err, Pa sed, is all to the bush league.

Then Pa went up stares & wen he was gone Ma kep on talking to me about the yung lady with was up stares & how selfish she was.

I bet yure father will call her down good in back, sed Ma, good & plenty. That is one (1) thing about yure father, sed Ma, wich I have to respeck. He certainly will not stand for anybody wich harms my pesse of mind.

You see, Bobbie, sed Ma, I often have to ree-buke yure father wen he is a little bit wild, but he has a kind & honest hart wich beats under writing, & he is always trying to do the best he can for you & me.

He is a awful rounder, I will admit, sed Ma, & he often throws off sense of Duty to the winds, & he warns the saild colleg to (2) darn, but he is not a bad one (1) for the price of a single li-bashun, but even at that he is all rite Ma sed, & you & me ought to luv him very much.

He will be back down stairs in a minnit, Ma sed, after having called that piano playing lady down, & then we will both tell him how good he is to us.

Who is that singing? sed Ma. all of a sudding.

It was Pa's voice. This is wet he was singing.

I luv you as I never luved bee-fore. Since first I met you on the village green.

Cum to me oust aggen or all is derr.

I luv you as I luved you wen we was sweet sixteen (16).

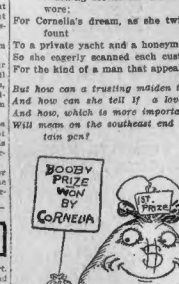
Then Ma rapped hard on the stem pipe & Pa calm rite down stares. Ma is going up to see the lady piano player herself, tomorrow morning.

RHYMES ABOUT THE TOWN
By JAMES J. MONTAGUE

CORNELIA CREAM

CORNELIA CREAM dispensed cold drinks in a popular soda store.
Returning scowls for the wistful winks that her masculine patrons wore;
For Cornelia's dream, as she twirled her spoon, led far from the fizzing fount
To a private yacht and a honeymoon with a corpulent bank account.
So she eagerly scanned each customer, o'er the top of the crackled-ice bowl,
For the kind of a man that appealed to her as the Captain of her Soul.

But how can a trusting maiden tell if her sky will be always blue?
And how can she tell if a lover's heart will best forever true?
And how, which is more important still, can she tell what his cognomen
Will mean on the southeast end of a check, when applied with his fountain pen?



ARUNDEL BRAGG was a large young man, of a glad and expensive type,
Whose taste in raiment mostly ran to the jocund check and stripe.
And he sued for the hand of Cornelia Cream with a galloping vim and verve.
But the lady feared that his rich array was simply a guileful snare,
So she said: "What, wed! Not me! Nay, nay!" which bathed him in dumb despair.

For how can a simple soda girl like the fair Cornelia Cream
Get by the fact that most young men are rarely what they seem?
The clothes may make the man, 'tis true, but the platitude ends right there.
For observing life, you will seldom find that they make the millionaire.

ELIJAH SLY was a seedy gent, and the overcoat he wore
Would not have been worth a single cent outside of an antique store.
His head was clad in a battered hat, and Cornelia told herself
That he never would dare to dress like that unless he had piles of pelf.
And no one day, when he held her hand with a soft and smooth caress,
And asked if she thought she could understand, she timidly answered "Yes!"

For how could the worldless damsel know, when she and Elijah wed,
That the state of brokeness that he was in is vulgarly known as "dead?"
And how could she know that Arundel Bragg had cut his sartorial dash
On the strength of a stack of the crisp long green that footed ten millions, cash?

Banzai!

IT is not infrequent to find men speculating as to the origin of the now familiar "banzai," and we believe that a general impression exists that the exultant cry of acclamation among the inventions of modern Japan.

Quite recently, indeed, we heard a learned Japanese declare that the late Professor Toyama was the originator of the word as the Japanese equivalent to "hooray."

But the truth is that "banzai" belongs to a very remote date in history, and shows that it was used certainly as long ago as the year 686 A. D., and probably it was not an innovation even then.

In the "Chronicles of Japan"—a work published in the year 820 A. D.—it is related that, in the Spring of 686 A. D., the Emperor Woku, remembered by posterity as Temmu, gave a great banquet to the gays of the Summer hall, and there held forth by "the winding streams." His guests were a concourse of ministers and other high officials of the realm, all met under the cities of Omi, Muraji and Miyakko.

When the feast was at its height the Emperor Woku, "raised repeated cries of Banzai!"

It may fairly be assumed that this formula of gratulation did not originate then, but at any rate its undoubted use in Japan more than fourteen centuries ago deprives any Mexican servant of the credit for having invented it.—Japan Mail.

Smiles

"EVERY few of us realize the terrible things that may result from a word hastily spoken," said the benevolent woman. "I, for instance, have never forgiven the young man who sat by her on the train. "I'm a baseball umpire."

* * *

"COME over and see me."

"Sorry, old man, but I have an engagement with my tailor in twenty minutes."

"Shoot but you're getting swell! Couldn't break such an important date, eh?"

"No; the date is in the court room."

* * *

HER—You never dream of getting married, I suppose?

Him—Oh, yes, after I've eaten Welsh rabbit.

* * *

"IT'S so sweet of him to have miniatures and portraits of his wife instead of mere photographs."

"Yes, indeed. The camera is so exact, you know."

* * *

"WHY do certain artists sign their pictures.

"It's an agreement they have, so that nobody will be able to blame one on some one else."

Read American Want Ads For *PROFIT*

THE HOME PAPER OF BOSTON

Use American Want Ads For *RESULTS*

Deaths.

HAGE—Ace Hage, age 40, son of the late Mr. & Mrs. A. Hage, & Dorsney, 25 Edinboro st.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Train between Boston and Hingham, Sat. morning, wood-stone; liberal reward. WALDO KENNARD, 30 Summer st., Hingham 152.

PERSON finding money lost from bag on Mass. 8th train arriving 3:30 P.M. COLLINS, 10 Temple st., Auburndale.

LADY LOST purse bag, May 3, money in Mark and cars or 264, Boston to Medford. Reward.

Information Wanted.

Strictly Private Information
PROMPTLY SECURED ANYWHERE where it will aid matters for legal or private purposes; low rates; expert service; cards, 1500. Telephone Oak, 2961. MARSHALL'S DETECTIVE BUREAU, 202, 42 Court st., Boston.

IF THE LADY dropped her watch on Temple place yesterday will call upon us we will replace the same; inquiry for Jos. Smith at the new watch for $1 a week. T. S. ROUND & CO., 536 Washington st.

MISS ALICE DUNPHY will learn something to her advantage by communicating with JACK, address D 347, Boston American.

IRISH girl wants home to rear little girl; will forget and forgive all. BERT.

MISSING PERSONS FOUND in all parts of the world. Address Lock Box 3716, Boston, Mass.

Special Announcements.

FOR LADIES before and during confinement. MATRON BROWN, 948 Fifth st., South Boston.

THE MISSES, 521 Tremont st.—For ladies' men's tans and heels sewed on, 75c.; ladies', 45c.

NURSE during confinement cases at my home in the country. Box 2, Boston Globe.

Legal and Public Notices.

CITY OF BOSTON.—To CONTRACTORS.—The Superintendent of Streets of the City of Boston, office 47 City Hall, invites proposals for constructing a macadam roadway in Belfort street, between Columbus avenue and Tremont street, Roxbury, and giving bond therefor of a surety company approved by the superintendent. Only proposals obtained at said office will be considered. Proposals must be filed at said office before 12 o'clock M. of Wednesday, May 26, 1909, and will be opened at that hour in the office and in the presence of the parties who may be present. The city reserves the right to give preference to the proposals of bidders residing in the city of Boston or whose principal place of business is in said city, and to reject any and all proposals, and the right to reject any and all proposals if deemed advisable, and the right to reject any proposal not accompanied by a bond as required. Specifications and forms of proposal and contract may be obtained at said office. Proposals must be sealed and marked: "Proposal for Macadam Road-way in Belfort street." JAMES M. SULLIVAN, Acting Superintendent of Streets. Boston, May 12, 1909.

CITY OF BOSTON.—TO CONTRACTORS.—The Superintendent of Streets of the City of Boston, office 47 City Hall, invites proposals for constructing a macadam roadway in Bellevue street, between East Eighth and Columbia road, South Boston and giving bond therefor of a surety company approved by the superintendent. Only proposals obtained at said office will be considered. Proposals must be filed at said office before 12 o'clock M. of Thursday, May 20, 1909, and will be opened at that hour in the office and in the presence of the parties who may be present. The city reserves the right to give preference to the proposals of bidders residing in the city of Boston or whose principal place of business is in said city, and to reject any and all proposals, and the right to reject any and all proposals if deemed advisable, and the right to reject any proposal not accompanied by a bond as required. Specifications and forms of proposal and contract may be obtained at said office. Proposals must be sealed and marked: "Proposal for Macadam Roadway in Bellevue street." JAMES M. SULLIVAN, Acting Superintendent of Streets. Boston, May 12, 1909.

CITY OF BOSTON—TO CONTRACTORS—The Superintendent of Streets of the City of Boston, office 47 City Hall, invites proposals for constructing a macadam roadway in Bellfort street, between East Eighth and Columbia road, South Boston and giving bond therefor of a surety company approved by the superintendent. Only proposals obtained at said office will be considered. Proposals must be filed at said office before 12 o'clock M. of Wednesday, May 26, 1909, and will be opened at that hour in the office and in the presence of the parties who may be present. The city reserves the right to give preference to the proposals of bidders residing in the city of Boston or whose principal place of business is in said city, and to reject any and all proposals, and the right to reject any and all proposals if deemed advisable, and the right to reject any proposal not accompanied by a bond as required. Specifications and forms of proposal and contract may be obtained at said office. Proposals must be sealed and marked: "Proposal for Macadam Roadway in Bellfort street." JAMES M. SULLIVAN, Acting Superintendent of Streets. Boston, May 12, 1909.

CITY OF BOSTON—TO CONTRACTORS—The Superintendent of Streets of the City of Boston, office 47 City Hall, invites proposals for constructing a macadam roadway in Belfort street, between East Eighth and Columbia road, South Boston and giving bond therefor of a surety company approved by the superintendent. Only proposals obtained at said office will be considered. Proposals must be filed at said office before 12 o'clock M. of Wednesday, May 26, 1909, and will be opened at that hour in the office and in the presence of the parties who may be present. The city reserves the right to give preference to the proposals of bidders residing in the city of Boston or whose principal place of business is in said city, and to reject any and all proposals, and the right to reject any and all proposals if deemed advisable, and the right to reject any proposal not accompanied by a bond as required. Specifications and forms of proposal and contract may be obtained at said office. Proposals must be sealed and marked: "Proposal for Macadam Roadway in Belfort street." JAMES M. SULLIVAN, Acting Superintendent of Streets. Boston, May 12, 1909.

CITY OF BOSTON—TO CONTRACTORS—The Superintendent of Streets of the City of Boston, office 47 City Hall, invites proposals for constructing artificial stone sidewalks in Belfort street, between Columbus avenue and Tremont street, Roxbury, and giving bond therefor of a surety company approved by the superintendent. Only proposals obtained at said office, filled out and signed by the bidder and left at said office before 12 o'clock M. of Wednesday, May 26, 1909, will be considered. Proposals must be filed at said office before 12 o'clock M. of Wednesday, May 26, 1909, with a certified check for $300, payable to and to be forfeited to the city of Boston, if the bidder to whom the contract is awarded shall neglect or refuse to enter into contract and give bond as required, within ten days after the contract is awarded, or the bond and check will be returned to the bidder. The city reserves the right to give preference to the proposals of bidders residing in the city of Boston or whose principal place of business is in said city, and to reject any and all proposals, and the right to reject any proposal not accompanied by a bond as required. Specifications and forms of proposal and contract may be obtained at said office. Proposals must be sealed and marked: "Proposal for Artificial Stone Sidewalks in Belfort street." JAMES M. SULLIVAN, Acting Superintendent of Streets. Boston, May 12, 1909.

Automobiles.

FOR SALE—A 30-50 H. P. Decauville (French) touring car made by one of the largest and most prime condition and needs absolutely no new parts whatever; fully equipped and ready for service and will carry seven comfortably; it is not a high model car and is easy to get in and out of; will be sold at a bargain; can be seen at 1 Boylston place. ($2,000) no use to offer less, as it is not forced sale; will demonstrate to anyone desiring to buy. Call at 324 Broadway, Dartmouth, R. I.

AUTOMOBILE, tennis gowns at a reasonable rate; full course. 315.

CAMBRIDGE MOTOR CAR CO., 299 Prospect st., Cambridge.

I WILL PAY cash for 1906 or 1907 2-cyl. Ford Roller in any kind of shape. Address H 2, Boston American.

Sewing Machines.

ALL MAKES sold and repaired, cut prices needle and parts furnished. STEAM PRESS and SUPPLY CO., 1 Boylston st.

$26 SINGER, good as new, for $5, at 26 Warren st., Roxbury, next to Hyde Park car.

Dogs, Pets, Etc.

BACK BAY VETERINARY HOSPITAL, 332 Newbury st.—Dogs and cats boarded; hospital privileges boarded, day, week or month; tel. 2200 Back Bay.

Male Help Wanted.

A BOSTON firm wishes to communicate with a gentleman of tact who can devote several hours daily to light artistic work at home. Address P 90, Boston American.

AN ERRAND BOY wanted who can speak both Italian and English. Apply to the manager, 41 Pleasant st., Malden.

CANVASSERS wanted at No. 625 Cambridge st., Allston, Mass., N. PRITZ.

HIGH CLASS POSITION FOR TOP—Earn $10 to $20 weekly, 54 Saturday; 100 more men wanted to learn this profession; HAIGH SCHOOL, position guaranteed; 814 Washington st., Boston.

WANTED—Experienced man to handle fine goods, single lenture. Apply to CLIFTON MFG. CO., 38 Bromfield st., room 3, Boston.

WANTED—Waiters on white work; none but those with good references need apply. WORK, 124 LIN MILLS, Franklin, N. H.

WANTED—A container. Apply TALBOT CO., Taunton.

Male—Miscellaneous.

A BRIGHT MAN can learn to run a moving picture machine in a few days; salary $18 a week; we want five men at once; write REID'S THEATRICAL BUREAU, Chicago, Ill.

ANY INTELLIGENT person may earn good income corresponding for newspapers; experience unnecessary; send for particulars. PRESS SYNDICATE 717, Rockford, Ill.

AUTOMOBILE road lessons, day or evening, at reasonable rates. Call or address 1 Boylston st., near Charles st.

I MADE $50.00 in five years in the mail order business. Book 10c. Tells how. Publisher, Box 1, Bellevue, Ky.

RHOMARIERS, 50 men and women wanted to learn our FREE HOME SCHOOL system; position guaranteed; $15.00 to $75.00. Jobs guaranteed. Old line College. 206.

FIREMEN wanted to get their watches repaired at J. S. BUND & CO.'S, 724 Washington st.; Masonic building.

WANTED—Skilled men between ages 18 and 35 for U. S. Marine Corps. Must be native born or have first papers. Excellent opportunity to see the world. Good pay. Clothing, rations, quarters, medical attendance free. Apply at any Post of Boston, Mass.

WANTED—Railway mail clerks, postoffice clerks, carriers; salary $600 to $1,000; examinations in Boston soon; preparation free; write for schedule. FRANKLIN INSTITUTE, Rochester, N. Y.

WANTED—Railway mail clerks, postoffice clerks, carriers; salary $600 to $1,000; examinations in Boston soon; preparation free; write for schedule. FRANKLIN INSTITUTE, Dept. 466, Rochester, N. Y.

Read for profit, "Want Ads" spelling rare

Male—Miscellaneous.

Union Hat Co.

Opposite the Union St. Tunnel.

BIG BARGAINS AT OUR TUESDAY'S SALE

NOW is the time and ours is the place to do your shopping; we can and do give better values than any offering by house in Boston and believe we give double Legal stamps till noon; read our list carefully.

A TUESDAY SPECIAL—Men's ballorgan mesh summer underwear, a value at 25c, 8 garments for $1.

MEN'S CHINA SILK pocket handkerchiefs, 50 values 25c; up-to-date summer coat shirts, $1 quality 49c.

COME IN, see our wonderful bargains in men's and boys' tan canvas shoes at $1.47, $1.69 and $1.98; every pair worth double the price.

AUTOMOBILE OUTFIT BARGAINS—Men's $6.50 rubber shirts, $3.69; khaki duster coats, $4.50 value, $2.48; new style $2 auto caps, 98c; boys' $1.50 auto caps, 69c; boys' leather leggins, $1 value, $1.48.

KHAKI CLOTHING BARGAINS—$1.25 khaki pants 79c, best $2 khaki pants 98c, regular $1 khaki hats and caps 69c; khaki leggins, $1 value, 59c; khaki shirts, the quality, 49c.

WHITE PANAMA hats, best quality $10 Panama hat, 98c, fine quality $7.50 Panama hats, regular $5 Panamas $3.69.

CHILDREN'S straw hats; special big bargain at 25c, 39c, and 49c., Tuesday.

MEXICAN PANAMA hat bargains; finest $ straws $2.95, all $3.50 hats $1.95, Porto Rican $2.50 hats $1.49.

SUMMER UNDERWEAR bargains, Balbriggan underwear 25c., better grade 39c., fine quality 49c.

WHITE DUCK PANTS bargains, $1.50 pants 98c., all $1 pants 69c., boys' all white duck pants 49c., men's white duck hats and caps 25c.

SOFT HAT BARGAINS—Stetson style $3 soft hats, $1.49, $4 soft hats $2.98 grey soft hats $1.49, up-to-date $2 soft hats 98c.

YACHTING CAP bargains, best 32 quality $1.49, Indian blue $1.50 caps 89c., fast color $1 caps 49c.

HIGH CUT, fine leather traveling bag bargains; $7 grade $4.98, $5 grade $2.98, fine quality $4 bags $2.47.

SUMMER UNDERWEAR bargains, Balbriggan underwear 25c., better grade 39c., fine quality 49c.

WHITE DUCK PANTS bargains, $1.50 pants 98c., all $1 pants 69c., boys' all white duck pants 49c., men's white duck hats and caps 25c.

SOFT HAT BARGAINS—Stetson style $3 soft hats, $1.49, $4 soft hats $2.98 grey soft hats $1.49, up-to-date $2 soft hats 98c.

YACHTING CAP bargains, best 32 quality $1.49, Indian blue $1.50 caps 89c., fast color $1 caps 49c.

HIGH CUT, fine leather traveling bag bargains; $7 grade $4.98, $5 grade $2.98, fine quality $4 bags $2.47.

CHILDREN'S straw hats; special big bargain at 25c, 39c, and 49c., Tuesday.

MEXICAN PANAMA hat bargains; finest $ straws $2.95, all $3.50 hats $1.95, Porto Rican $2.50 hats $1.49

EDITORIAL PAGE OF THE **BOSTON AMERICAN** BOSTON, MAY 17, 1909

BOSTON AMERICAN

80 AND 82 SUMMER ST., BOSTON, MAY 17, 1909.

"Help! Anarchy! Murder!" Cried the Tory Millionaires

They Are Actually Spending as Much to Keep Old People Alive as They Used to Spend to Murder Young People in War

Copyright, 1909, by American-Journal-Examiner

Have you read about the English budget? There is excitement in England; please believe that. The English gentleman with the red face and the big bank account has a redder face than ever. He is very near the bursting point. Every man with a big fortune that he didn't earn and a big income that he squanders comfortably is full of rage, riot and denunciation.

They had to raise some extra money in England this year—about eighty million dollars, the government being short of funds—and what do you suppose they did? **THEY ACTUALLY DECIDED TO TAKE THIS MONEY FROM RICH PEOPLE INSTEAD OF TAKING IT FROM THE POOR.** And the echo of the horror has flown across the ocean and reached our own Tory newspapers.

There is a dreadful state of affairs over there, and the rich man is vowing that he will leave the country. Capital says, "I want to go away; I don't want to stay here."

But when English capital crosses the Continent to get away from English radicalism, it meets French capital coming over from France to get away from French radicalism, and the story that French capital tells is such a bloodcurdling story that the poor old English gentleman, with his capital, decides to go back to London.

In England, at last, a government popular and radical, **AND SANE AND DECENT**, has determined to make those pay that can **AFFORD** to pay.

And it is with the very greatest pleasure that we give you a few statements of facts, facts that have exploded in the Tory heart, nearly tearing that grand old institution to pieces.

For instance, they are going to put a tax on motor cars, graduated according to horsepower. That is bad enough, to tax the harmless little pleasure of the gentleman with the big automobile. But, they are **NOT** going to put that tax on the taxicab with which a man earns his living. What do you think of that for anarchy?

If you have a large red car and enjoy yourself running over people, on your days of leisure, you have to pay a tax to the government for having that amount of fun. But if you are trying to earn a living running a cab around the streets and doing your best to keep your family alive, **YOU PAY NO TAX AT ALL.** Doctors, supposed to be useful, pay only half the tax. They pay half because these anarchistic English lawmakers feel that as a doctor is a little more prosperous than the man who runs a cab, he ought to pay a little more.

And they are going to tax the gasoline used in automobiles, six cents a gallon. But men who use this gasoline in the effort to earn a living, will only pay one-half of the tax. They will get a rebate, and those that burn up the gasoline simply for fun will pay the full tax. The total amount of this tax will be spent making roads good. In other words, those that burn up the gasoline, and also tear up the roads, will pay a tax to make the roads good again.

The former custom in England was to make the poor penniless devils that lived along the roads repair the roads for nothing and at their own expense. And the rich gentleman rode over the roads and tore them up and paid nothing. Things change in these "socialistic" days.

And then the **INCOME TAX.** You know they have **THAT** in England. They feel that if a man has a comfortable income every year, and the government protects him, he ought to be willing to pay something to the government just as he would pay the fire insurance company that protects his property. They not only tax incomes in England, but, if you actually earn your income, and therefore do something in the country, **THEY LOWER YOUR TAX.** And all "unearned incomes," incomes that a man gets without doing anything, **PAY AN EXTRA TAX.** There is anarchy for you. They actually make a man pay more simply because he happens to be a parasite and a drone and doesn't do a stroke of work in return for the money he gets. Whereas, when a man works, uses his brain, develops industry or trade, and makes an income that way, **THEY CHARGE HIM LESS.** So, again we ask, what is England coming to?

And, if you have a good deal of income, they make you pay a heavier percentage in taxes than if you have less. The very rich man pays a bigger percentage than the little man.

And there is far worse to tell you. They actually take **CHILDREN** into consideration. If a man hasn't got more than five hundred pounds per year, they take off ten pounds for every child under sixteen years of age. In other words, this anarchistic budget plainly says that the man who is raising children renders a public service, deserves the thanks of the state, and shall not be taxed as much as the man who has no children.

They tax big inherited fortunes over there—they expect to get from death duties alone more than thirty-five million dollars a year. And they tax heartily and generously stock exchange transactions—more anarchy for you.

In these and other anarchistic ways the radicals in England have planned an increase in the budget of about one hundred and twenty-five million dollars per year. And that isn't all of it, the worst and most horrible part is still to be told.

The government is actually outlining an increase of the old age pension scheme. They are going to take some of this money from very rich, vigorous men, and give it to thousands of the worn-out, worked-out old men and women that have been honest all their lives and now see poverty and the poorhouse staring them in the face.

As one indignant Tory in America has put it, they are putting upon the people, to pension the old and help the children, such taxes as they used to lay before only in time of war. They are actually planning to spend as much money to **HELP** human beings as they used to spend to **MURDER** them.

We do things differently in America, don't we? No income tax here.

Never Again!

By T. E. Powers

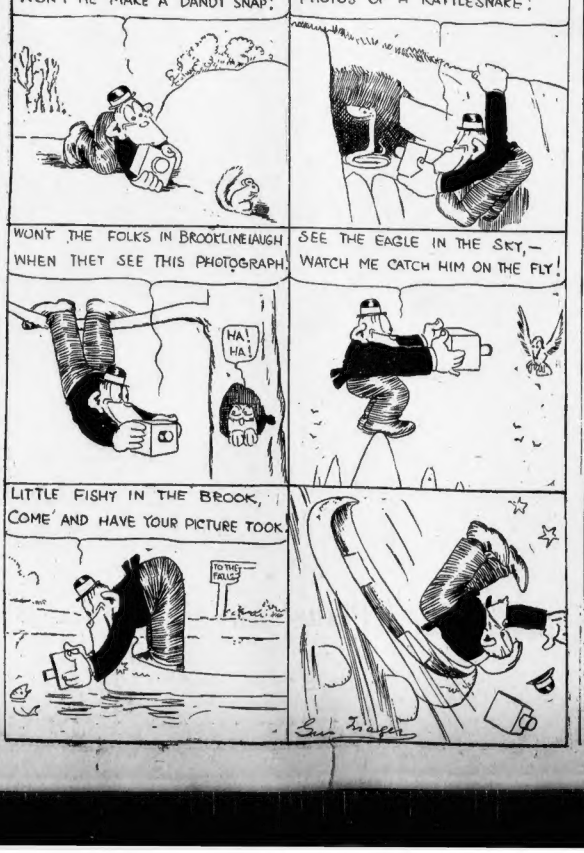
Copyright, 1909, by American-Journal-Examiner

COME ON FELLOWS LETS GO HUNTING
SURE!
HARRIGAN
SURE? THINK YOU KNOW
YOU FELLOWS CARRY THE GUNS AND THINGS AND I'LL CARRY THE WRITING PAD
JUST HAND UP THE GUNS AND GO IN THERE AND DRIVE UP A LION OR TWO
BWANA TUMBO!
HELP
MY
BACK!
SHOT A LION TO DAY WILL GO AFTER RHINO TOMORROW
EVERNAY EN GAY! (MEANING NEVER AGAIN)
T.E. POWERS

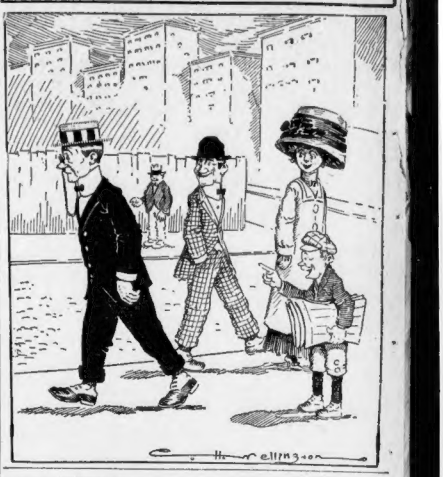
Rhymo the Monk

He Spends a Day in the Wildwood with His Camera

Copyright, 1909, by American-Journal-Examiner


SUCH A CUNNING LITTLE CHAP! WON'T HE MAKE A DANDY SNAP!
PEOPLE VERY SELDOM TAKE PHOTOS OF A RATTLESNAKE!
WON'T THE FOLKS IN BROOKLINE LAUGH WHEN THEY SEE THIS PHOTOGRAPH.
HA! HA!
SEE THE EAGLE IN THE SKY,— WATCH ME CATCH HIM ON THE FLY!
LITTLE FISHY IN THE BROOK, COME AND HAVE YOUR PICTURE TOOK.
TO THE FALLS

THERE'S A REASON



That New Lodge-Crane Charter Is a Huge Joke on the People

IF the voters of Boston meekly swallow the charter revision dose that the Republican party bosses are compounding on Beacon Hill they will and should be politically sick for a long time.

If the new charter bill proposed by the Committee on Metropolitan Affairs of the General Court is enacted into law its immediate effect will be completely to PARALYZE THE ENTIRE BODY POLITIC of the city and render the VOTERS HELPLESS in the hands of political quacks and sharpers.

What will Mr. Ordinary Voter have to say about a candidate for Mayor under a convention system of nominating?

If he wants to be a delegate he will have to work or buy himself into the good graces of the little ward bosses, or go out and organize an opposition. To make even a respectable showing in opposition to the little machines would cost a great deal of time, energy and money.

And Mr. Ordinary Voter is not prone to expend his time or substance buckling a political machine that has a well-developed system and abundant financial resources. He knows the futility of it as a general rule.

What matters it to the bosses if the opposition wins a delegate here and another there, or, indeed, carries several ward delegations?

The Party Bosses Will Always Win

The machine will have the preliminary convention organization in its hands EVERY TIME, and, with that advantage, backed up by a well drilled corps of expert convention workers and a few trained applause promoters, the party bosses will rush their slate through a convention nine times out of ten, EVEN WITH A MAJORITY OF DELEGATES OPPOSED, but unskilfully opposing.

Eminent gentlemen are telling voters rightly that a return to the convention plan would be a "fine thing." Of course it would—for the eminent gentlemen and their friends, THE PARTY MACHINE BOSSES.

It would "do away with many of the disagreeable features of municipal politics," say the eminent gentlemen. Certainly. In fact, the common PEOPLE WOULD NOT HAVE TO BOTHER about candidates at all. Benevolent dealers in political bargains would provide all the features.

"The convention system would simplify matters," declares one apologist for the proposed new charter bill. Decided by. All the registered poll tax payer would have to do would be to vote for machine-made candidates.

Of, course, if Mr. Voter does not appreciate these advantages of the convention system, he may vote for another —the petition plan—one that will allow him to have his name or that of a friend placed on the ballot. He will only be required to secure the signatures of 5,000 voters on nomination papers certified for each nomination he desires to make. But that is such a simple matter, getting 5,000 names!

Independents Would Have No Chance

The beautiful offering that goes with acceptance of the petition plan is the abolition of party designations. PARTY MACHINES WOULD REMAIN, just the same. They would be on hand with their district workers and a fine line of names. They would have a monopoly of the means of creating petition candidates and no independent group would be able to make successful campaign against them. The cost would be too great.

This proposed abolition of parties in our municipal affairs is a pretty theory—but A PRACTICAL JOKE.

And the two little crumbs of charter revision that Lodge and Crane have told their puppets in the Legislature to submit to popular vote are called a referendum! What a MOCKERY! What INSOLENCE!

But, as we said in the beginning, if those that want good government—the business associations, the improvement associations, the labor organizations and the others—stand for the nauseating charter dose prescribed by Old Doctor Lodge and Old Doctor Crane, IT WILL BE GOOD ENOUGH FOR THEM IF THEY SUFFER from repeated attacks of political stomach aches.

Ability vs. Genius

By Paul Thieman

THE world has very little, if any, mercy for the man that fails.

Therefore the attempt of General Kuropatkin to square himself with history is a task seems pitiful, until the book is examined.

And, upon examination, it is evident that Kuropatkin was the highest type of the mere man.

His fault was that he was not a genius!

But his cold statement of cold facts show that the usual verdict of history is wrong in blaming mere good and valiant men for not being geniuses. In truth and verity, this Russian General played a strong man's part.

In the war with Japan Kuropatkin fully realized the conditions. He was an able commander, but he was given only four and one-half months of absolute authority in the field.

His forces were crude. The troops of the line were retained in European Russia to keep down rebellion, and he got in the main only reservists.

But Kuropatkin's theory was that by fighting, always fighting, the overwhelming force of the Russian empire finally would triumph.

And Japan, at the end of its resources, succeeded in gaining the interposition of Theodore Roosevelt. For the time being Roosevelt enjoyed the applause of the world for the peace of Portsmouth.

The whole thing was a succession of evil conditions beyond Kuropatkin's control. With a final blunder on the part of the chief of the United States menacing the peace of the world.

The Peace of Portsmouth was pregnant with war!

Returning to this man Kuropatkin, as y said, he was a valiant person, and an able commander, his back loaded with enormous difficulties.

And that is the line of difference between mere great ability and genius.

Let us fancy, for example, that Grant had been dismissed in the Wilderness. Grant had only commenced fighting his history-making campaign.

Just before the capture of Port Henry and Fort Donelson an attempt was made to remove Grant.

Grant refused to obey the order to relinquish command and went on and won his victory, and quickly, the North ringing with it, he could not be removed.

It has been said that Grant was a commonplace man, who was only the opportunist of his opportunities.

I think that Grant was a genius.

The story of Kuropatkin confirms that belief.

Kuropatkin was ordered to quit, and he quit.

Grant was ordered to quit, and he would not quit.